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The
All-America

Georges Delbard is one of the most enthusiastic plant breeders and nurserymen of the world. He speaks no English and even if you speak no French, you can "talk" roses with him.

Roses have been a major part of Georges' life although he is well known for such things as his magnificent book, The Beautiful Fruits of France and, of course, Delbard's fruit trees have long been known throughout the world for their excellence.

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FIRST EDITION

First Edition

(Arnaud Delbard in Europe)

One of the all-time great Floribundas. This one is perfect for edging a walk. Perfectly mounded plants bring wave after wave of unequalled luminous coral color. It is so vibrant it seems to glow in the sunlight. One of the very few roses that gives an outstanding mass of color and yet has that perfect form for arrangements. Delicately pointed buds slowly become fluorescent blooms 2½ inches across. The color is a delightful blending of subtle yellow, orange and red shades. (Delbard.) *Plant Pat. 3647.*

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OFFER 102

THE AWARD WINNERS

DOUBLE DELIGHT
FIRST EDITION
PROMINENT

$14.90

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1977 Award Winners

JAN 1977.

Dear friends,

My brothers, Sidney, Jr., Bob and I, along with everyone at Star Roses, lovingly dedicate this, our Spring 1977 catalog, to the memory of the wonderful person we have been fortunate to call father and who was a friend to everyone. In August 1976, we lost Sidney Hutton, Sr., at the age of 87. He lived in dignity and he died as he would have wished, with dignity. For 46 years, he was the guiding hand for us and we will remember him for his leadership through some very dark times along the way as well as for his humor and integrity. He was always here to share the wisdom his 87 years had so graciously given him. He will be missed very much by his family and the wonderful friends he has made throughout the world.

Above all else he loved his wife, Laura, whom he lost five years ago; a rose in bloom; this "his" rose catalog; and every person in the world. He loved everything for the good qualities that set each apart, and he treasured the best of everything throughout his long life.

Sincerely,

R. J. Hutton
President

PROMINENT

DOUBLE DELIGHT

Prominent

A definite color breakthrough. Such brilliance and yet such a clear, vibrant orange it is unmatched and so vibrant it is impossible to describe. This spicy Grandiflora is intense, tall, strong and lovely. Well formed, medium size buds very slowly become medium size, very showy blooms of excellent form. The showy blooms have excellent substance and last an exceptionally long time on the plant and when cut—perfect for arrangements. Tall, strong and easy to grow, the well branched plants will produce a continuous show of fiery color all summer. Already a sensation in Europe, Prominent is so good few other roses can begin to compare in performance, bloom production and outstanding color. (Kordes.) *Plant Pat. 3380.*

$5.40 ea.—3 or more, $5.20 ea.

Double Delight

This big, bold Hybrid Tea has double everything. Creamy-white huge blooms are liberally brushed with bright, rich red. This Hybrid Tea will win the blue ribbons at the show table. A very strong, nose-catching spicy fragrance is the perfect complement. These high-centered, formal blooms come continuously on the upright, spreading, bushy plant that is clothed with glossy green leaves. Double Delight is near perfection. Big, bold, beautiful and striking. Well worthy of the longing glances it receives and its 1977 All-America Award. (Swim & Ellis.) *Plant Pat. 3847.*

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Showy All-America Award Winners

ARIZONA

Oregold

One of the most vigorous and floriferous yellow Hybrid Teas to come along in years. The striking brilliant rich golden yellow is evident from calyx break through the full open bloom. Buds are long and pointed with a vibrant rich golden yellow color that is distinct from all others. The blazing yellow softens slightly as the blooms mature but the lively medium yellow holds for a very long time. Fully double blooms are high centered and up to five inches across. Flowers are extremely showy, distinctive and sit right up on top of the plant for all to enjoy.

Vigorous, upright and strong, Oregold will delight you. Blooms come usually one to the stem—perfect for cutting and ideal for arrangements. A strong growing, distinctive new yellow; maybe the best one yet. (Tantau.) *Plant Pat. 3415.*

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Arizona

A flashy, bright golden copper Grandiflora. Tall, strong and floriferous. A deep coppery orange in the bud which swirls open to good-sized full flowers of golden copper heavily brushed with shades of scarlet. A radiant, distinctive color that is always striking. Blooms are 4½ inches across and filled with firm, satiny petals and last and last until petals drop. Even then, the next flush of color is already visible.

Tall, strong, vigorous and well branched—plants bring a profusion of decorative blooms all season long. Stems are long and strong for cutting. All canes and branches are completely covered with dark green, semi-glossy leaves. Excellent disease resistance and very winter hardy.

Arizona will be in your garden for years and years to bring you pleasure and beauty, and there is always an alluring tea fragrance. (Weeks.) *Plant Pat. 3568.*

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First Prize

A superb rose that is a prizewinner everywhere and takes the blue ribbons at the rose shows. A show rose that is equally good for enjoying in your garden and in your home. Almost too good to be true but very honestly First Prize will bloom just like this for you in your own garden. The tall, pointed exhibition form is richly enhanced by the lovely pink color that is lighter and more delicate toward the center of the flower and almost light red at the petal edges. Petals are satiny and roll back from the large, magnificent buds forming the perfect 5-inch open blooms. Perfect for anything.

Medium tall and strong, plants take no more care than any other garden rose and yet produce these magnificent exhibition blooms all summer long. (Boerner.) *Plant Pat. 2774.*

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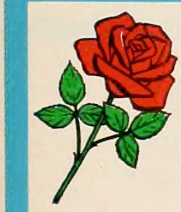
OREGOLD

FIRST PRIZE



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ARIZONA
FIRST PRIZE
OREGOLD

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Three Really Fine Roses

ROSES GIVE SO MUCH AND ASK SO LITTLE

No other flowering plant gives so much of itself as the rose. Compare its exquisite bloom (each one sculptured perfection), its long, continuous blooming season (4 to 6 months in most areas), and its wide range of colors with any other plant in your garden. And, roses live for years and years.

While it is not realistic to say that roses produce these spectacular blooms and bursts of color with no care at all, if you start with a good quality plant, carefully follow the simple planting instructions we supply, and give it a modest amount of regular care, you will enjoy fine results.

PERFUME DELIGHT

Perfume Delight

Hybrid Tea. One of our customers from Pennsylvania wrote: "If any of your customers are suffering from jaded tastes and all roses are beginning to look alike, tell them to try Perfume Delight. The fragrance is second to none." This is only one of the many plaudits Perfume Delight has received since it was introduced two years ago. It's new, with all the sophistication and beauty of today and yet here is a rose with the fragrance and charm you remember in grandmother's garden. Rich spicy fragrance, pure pink color and attractive, floriferous growth are among its special features. The delightful perfume is evident from the moment the classic long pointed buds begin to unfurl. Petals roll back gently and gracefully to big double blooms, up to 5 inches across, with 30 or more satiny smooth petals. And, each petal is the same even, glowing, unblemished, brilliant pink that never changes.

Imagine these big, stunning, fragrant blooms in your own garden carried atop a plant that is second to none. Medium tall, well covered with large, olive-green foliage and above average disease resistance. Blooms are held aloft in all their splendor on long, strong stems that are ideal for cutting.

For mass plantings, for a group of two or three among foundation plantings, or for that one beautiful plant in your garden—Perfume Delight is perfect anywhere for a show of color. The rich, spicy fragrance will guarantee that it won't stay outdoors. Perfect for arrangements or for that one perfect bud indoors. Perfume Delight is indeed perfumed and a delight anywhere. (Weeks.) *Plant Pat. 3282.*

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"Just a word to you and yours! My roses are doing grand and people all around come to see them and rave over their beauty!! They are all in full bloom, and I love them more than words can tell. I am going to order many of your beautiful roses as illustrated in your beautiful new catalog."

H.W., VA.

OFFER 106

THREE BEAUTIES

MEDALLION
MISTER LINCOLN
PERFUME DELIGHT

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for every Garden

MEDALLION

Medallion

Hybrid Tea. A tremendous breakthrough both in the new delicate apricot-buff color and in the magnificent 7-inch flowers—a truly unequaled new rose of a lovely pastel color that varies with the weather but is always distinctively different. Medallion will turn your head with its superb pastel flowers of soft apricot-buff, with a slightly deeper center and a delicate ivory edge. Shapely slender pointed soft coppery-pink buds open to huge informal buff-pink flowers with 35 extremely broad petals. Open blooms soften to a tantalizing straw yellow. Lasting ability, even in rainy weather is remarkable. A mild fruity perfume is the perfect complement.

Vigorous and erect—to at least 5 feet. Put Medallion in the back row and give it room. Almost always blooms are borne one to a long, strong stem (16 to 18 inches). Perfect for the garden and for cutting. With its unusual color, we consider Medallion a true flower arranger's rose. Extremely free blooming, we have seen as many as 45 of these tremendous eye-catching blooms at one time on a single plant. (Warriner.) *Plant Pat. 2997.*

$4.90 ea.—3 or more, $4.60 ea.

Mister Lincoln

Hybrid Tea. Our very best true red rose. In fact, we believe this is the finest red rose of all time. Six-inch lively red blooms are very full and double. Long pointed buds become urn-shaped as the wide, velvety petals curl back from their high centers. Rich, dark maroon buds become a deep bold red in the open bloom. Marvelous deep rich fragrance even on dull days when fragrance in other roses is not noticeable.

Flowers are borne on very strong stems and are long lasting outdoors and when cut. Made to order for rose show competition. Color holds extremely well and is especially brilliant in a bouquet even under artificial light.

Mister Lincoln is perfection among garden roses. Vigorous, tall, upright, covered with glossy foliage—a perfect backdrop for the brilliant red blooms. (Swim & Weeks.) *Plant Pat. 2370.*

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MISTER LINCOLN

Christian Dior

Hybrid Tea. Excellent for cutting. One of the few reds that shows off especially well under artificial light. Big showy blooms are a rich crimson-red overlaid with a lustrous scarlet sheen. Each bloom has 50 to 60 neatly placed petals and a delicate fragrance. A flower of top exhibition quality that does not fade or turn blue but stays a splendid rich red.

Vigorous, tall and upright with rich green leathery leaves. Hardy and healthy with a steady profusion of stunning bloom all season. A delightful rose to grow and one that will bring you pleasure all summer (Meilland.) *Plant Pat. 1943.*

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"Two years ago, I ordered 18 rose bushes from your Company. They are truly gorgeous and the envy of many. With your healthy stock even in Maine we can enjoy beautiful roses."

H.R., ME.

CHRISTIAN DIOR

YANKEE DOODLE

Yankee Doodle

Hybrid Tea. A very bright and warm combination of colors. Rich, shining yellow, brushed a delightful glowing scarlet around the petal margins. Big, full, 5-inch open blooms, usually with over 100 petals. Each petal is delicately scalloped giving the bloom an open, light airy effect. There is always a delicious, fruity perfume. Every bloom is extremely full petalled so don't expect typical rose form—each bloom is almost camellia like.

Yankee Doodle has a superb plant—very strong, very tall, freely branched and broad; give it lots of room. With holly-like, olive-green foliage, this one can be striking. Hardy, rugged and disease free. (Kordes.) *Plant Pat. App. For.*

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SUMMER SUNSHINE

Seashell

Hybrid Tea. A completely new combination of warm colors, as delightfully changeable as any rose can be. Delicate, soft orange buds gently roll open changing to all the soft shades of orange and pink lightly brushed with sunny yellow. 4½ inch, very double blooms are a rich, lively salmon with a golden glow of yellow washed across each petal. These large, double flowers usually come one to a good strong stem but will occasionally come in a cluster of 2 or 3 making a spectacular show of color. And, what perfume. This is the perfect rose for any use—mass of color, growing in patio containers, for a showy plant in your garden, and for the flower arranger. The novice and the avid gardener will both be totally satisfied with Seashell. Medium tall plants are upright, compact and well covered with glossy holly-like foliage. Mildew resistance is above average. One of the truly outstanding newer roses. (Kordes.) *Plant Pat. 3685.*

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"I never pass up a chance to recommend Star Roses."
R.C., IL.

Summer Sunshine

Hybrid Tea. Just bursting with rich, dazzling golden yellow color. One of the strongest plants for a yellow Hybrid Tea. A bright, bright, gleaming yellow that literally shines in the sunlight. Urn shaped buds are a rich, intense, deep golden yellow with satiny smooth, luxurious petals gently rolling back to a lovely high centered, medium size bloom. Blooms open smoothly and easily regardless of weather. Form and color hold well and add a touch of dazzling brilliance to any garden or flower arrangement. An easy yellow to grow.

Plants are tall, upright, strong and vigorous. Don't hide this one. You will want to watch it every day. A delightful front row rose that is well branched and covered with rich foliage. An excellent bright golden, eye-catcher all summer long. (Swim.) *Plant Pat. 2078.*

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SEASHELL

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OUTSTANDING

CHRISTIAN DIOR
SEASHELL
SUMMER SUNSHINE
YANKEE DOODLE

$18.40

The Impressive

Pink Peace

Hybrid Tea. A favorite for cutting. A beautiful rose with a superb plant. Blooms are almost as large as Peace and have a deep dusky pink color that lasts and lasts. Big, pointed buds become fully double fragrant blooms with a lovely high peaked center.

Very strong and bushy—a bit taller than the Peace rose. Excellent, large foliage and thick flower stems make this one ideal for cutting and bringing indoors. A very good back-row rose that will give good quantities of long lasting blooms all summer. Give it plenty of room. (Meilland.) *Plant Pat. 1759.*

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Peace

Hybrid Tea. The most talked about and sought after rose in the world. And, after thirty years, it is still our best selling, most loved rose. The rose to which all others are compared. Enormous, long lasting blooms come continuously on pencil-thick stems. Strong, tall and sturdy with tough, leathery foliage. Peace never disappoints.

Huge flowers are pale gold to ivory, softly edged with pink. As the bloom develops, the pink shadings gently flow across the whole petal. Very long lasting and perfect to cut. No two flowers are alike. A landmark rose. (Meilland.)

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PEACE *Family*

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THE PEACE FAMILY

CHICAGO PEACE
PEACE
PINK PEACE

$11.90

In the rolling countryside of Chester County in southeastern Pennsylvania Star Roses reach the peak of perfection. Nature provides the sun, rain and fertile soil and we add the tender loving care.

CHICAGO PEACE

Chicago Peace

Hybrid Tea. A spectacular beauty. You have to grow Chicago Peace and see it for yourself to believe a rose can be this beautiful. Its warm, rich pink with canary-yellow and coppery overtones give a marvelous glow.

Buds are many petaled and the blooms are very large and double. Each bloom is so proudly displayed it just shouts confidence in being the most beautiful.

As a garden plant, Chicago Peace has proved to be a carbon copy of Peace so far as growing ability, hardiness and flower production are concerned, but its color and fragrance are unique. Medium tall, strong stemmed with leathery, glossy leaves. Discovered as a sport of Peace in a rose garden in Chicago. (Johnston.) *Plant Pat. 2037.*

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A PERFECT

Gypsy

Hybrid Tea. One of our personal favorites. A dazzling, brilliant, fiery red washed with just a touch of orange giving a glow of warmth to the color so rarely found. In the sunlight it is spectacular; by evening light it is a smoldering beauty. Gypsy is such a striking red it is never harsh and glaring but always a bright addition to your garden. One of the few roses where the hot humid weather just enhances the color. Very dark rich buds slowly open to big, 5-inch double blooms that are so large, bright and distinctive they catch every eye. And, the color and high centered blooms last and last. Blooms usually come one to a long, strong stem—ideal for cutting and admiring indoors.

A tall, husky, splendid garden rose whose blooms stand out like beacons against the glossy green, disease resistant leaves. (Weeks.) *Plant Pat. 3163.*

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"Just want to tell you that these bushes are the finest we have ever received in five years of planting."

R. B., IL.

GYPSY

It's Fun To Grow Roses

You can grow roses just like these! Start with 2 or 3, give them a spot of sun, a little tender loving care and they will reward you for years to come. Roses give so much for so long and are so easy to grow.

John F. Kennedy

A lovely pure white Hybrid Tea, but not a delicate one, and almost always gleaming with lovely blooms. High centered, graceful lemon-white buds become big, pure white open blooms and each petal holds its firm texture through all kinds of weather. Blooms are full with each of the 40 petals precisely arranged making each flower a magnificent specimen. This stately white has a quality seldom found in a white rose—a nice tea fragrance.

Blooms are held erect on good strong stems atop the tall, upright plant. An excellent quantity of pure white blooms come continuously all through the blooming season. Each flower is a masterpiece and stands out virtually snow white against the large, dark, disease-free foliage. Bold and showy—an excellent choice. (Boerner.) *Plant Pat. 2441.*

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JOHN F. KENNEDY

OFFER 112

STRIKING

APOLLO
GYPSY
JOHN F. KENNEDY
MISS ALL-AMERICAN BEAUTY

$17.80

COMBINATION

APOLLO

Apollo

Hybrid Tea. This clear, sunny yellow is a standout and holds from the very beginning until petals fall. A really fine yellow, so tall, strong and floriferous it could almost be a Grandiflora. Bright, pointed buds slowly become fully blown double blooms, up to 4½ inches. Flowers usually come one to a stem and are held erect for all to see and admire.

Strong, tall and well branched, Apollo will produce a continuous profusion of bloom. Foliage is large, leathery, very disease resistant and almost hides the branches. Excellent for arrangements. (Armstrong.) *Plant Pat. 3322.*

$4.90 ea.—3 or more, $4.60 ea.

Miss All-American Beauty

A sumptuous Hybrid Tea. An all-time favorite grown and loved throughout the world. An illuminated pink with a freshness and vitality unsurpassed by any other rose. A big, solid, clean pink with no other shadings or blemishes. And, this lively "hot" color holds beautifully until petals fall. Medium long, tapered buds are bursting with color from the very beginning and slowly unfold to big 5-inch blooms. Flowers are fully double and cupped with 50 to 60 sculptured petals of excellent substance. Blooms come continuously; usually one to a long, strong cutting stem. A strong, ever-present heady tea fragrance makes Miss All-American Beauty sheer perfection. It will be the star of your garden throughout the summer.

Vigorous, 4½ foot plants are well branched, very shapely and always completely covered with excellent, large foliage. (Meilland.) *Plant Pat. 2625.*

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"I would be lost without my Star Roses and the catalog."
M.B., DE.

MISS ALL-AMERICAN BEAUTY

STAR

is our name for our own special brand of roses. It is the registered Trademark of The Conard-Pyle Co. It describes the quality of our rose plants, a quality so superior that we can guarantee they will grow and bloom for you.

American Heritage

Hybrid Tea. The striking blend of changeable colors is a beautiful sight. Very long, tapered, urn shaped buds of light canary yellow delicately edged camellia-rose become cream to light canary-yellow 4½ inch, double blooms with 50 to 60 firm petals. As the blooms mature, the rose color along the petal margins deepens. Blooms come continuously all season producing a succession of striking color changes. Plants are tall and compact with large leathery foliage and heavy canes. (Lammerts.) *Plant Pat. 2687.*

$4.50 ea.—3 or more, $4.20 ea.

Camelot

Grandiflora. A foolproof rose that grows tall and lovely. A luminous shrimp-pink beauty. Light and glowing with high centered buds becoming 4 inch, somewhat cupped open blooms with a rich spicy perfume. A shimmering color that remains lively and radiant throughout the season. Blooms are produced freely usually in clusters but there will be an occasional bloom which comes one to the stem. Tall and broad. Covered with large, shiny, dark green foliage. Colorful. (Swim & Weeks.) *Plant Pat. 2371.*

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CAMELOT

AMERICAN HERITAGE

Royal Highness

Hybrid Tea. The winner of countless blue ribbons at rose shows. This supremely beautiful pastel rose is the softest, loveliest pink imaginable. Exquisite, long, pointed buds are very impressive and open slowly to extra large, satiny blooms with a perfect high center and heavy tea rose perfume. Its perfect form is just the thing to win blue ribbons.

Long, stiff stems, form, color and lasting ability make it perfect for cutting. A medium tall, upright grower with waxy dark ornamental leaves. Tremendously appealing both in the garden and as a cut flower. (Swim & Weeks.) *Plant Pat. 2032.*

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LASTING BEAUTY

Oklahoma

Hybrid Tea. While not actually black, Oklahoma is such a deep smoky velvet red that it almost seems so. The deep deep color is richly enhanced by the delightful perfume. Buds are almost black and pointed. Five-inch pointed blooms have perfect form, excellent texture and fine keeping ability. Each deep red petal is brushed liberally with black velvet around the outside.

Plants are medium tall with good cutting stems holding the blooms erect and above the foliage so they never hide. Each bloom is worth waiting for. (Swim & Weeks.) *Plant Pat. 2326.*

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"When I received your catalog last year, I was very impressed. I started reading it and immediately felt confident that each word meant what it said. Your reputation and integrity were there for all to see and feel, as I did."

R.B., IL.

ROYAL HIGHNESS

"On the rare occasion over the past five years when we've lost a bush, we never ask for replacements. The quality of your merchandise is such we know a failure must be our fault."

J.V., NY.

OKLAHOMA

OFFER 115

A SHOW ALL SUMMER

AMERICAN HERITAGE
CAMELOT
OKLAHOMA
ROYAL HIGHNESS

$16.90

SCARLET KNIGHT

Scarlet Knight

An easy care, no fuss rose that just blooms its heart out for you. If you want a rose that will really grow, here it is. All summer you will have wave after wave of splendid bold red blooms. Deep, deep, dark crimson buds are nicely tapered and slowly become 4½-inch velvety scarlet-crimson blooms lightly brushed with some deeper shades. Color holds bright through the life of the flower. Blooms come in nice clusters making a splendid rose show. Tall, bushy and profuse blooming. (Meilland.) *Plant Pat. 2692.*

$3.90 ea.—3 or more, $3.65 ea.

Garden Party

Hybrid Tea. Tall and alluring. Often considered a "white", Garden Party is actually a delicate blending of the softest tones. The warm, rich ivory at the center blends across the large, flaring petals to creamy tones with a flush of appleblossom pink that gently steals over the flower. Thirty large, shapely petals have excellent substance and lasting ability making it the perfect cutting rose. Double, very fragrant blooms on a tall, very strong, well branched plant. (Swim.) *Plant Pat. 1814.*

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Pharaoh

One of the most beautiful of all the "commanding" red Hybrid Teas. Buds are a very deep red and as they open they reveal the marvelous glowing inner side of the petals which is a deep fluorescent scarlet blending to a velvety, almost black red at the edge of the petals where touched by the sun. This rich red color lasts the life of the flower.

The exquisite double blooms are held on good stiff stems. Plants are medium tall and covered with large dark green leaves. (Meilland.) *Plant Pat. 2859.*

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GARDEN PARTY

FREE PLANTING GUIDE

With every order we ship, we include a free 12-page booklet describing proper planting and cultural procedures. Whether you're an experienced rose grower or a novice, you will find this a helpful guide. From planting, through pruning and spraying, the booklet describes and pictures the steps to success with roses . . . and also gives pertinent facts about the growing of bulbs and perennials.

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THE PERFECT GARDEN

GARDEN PARTY
HELEN TRAUBEL
PHARAOH
SCARLET KNIGHT
SWARTHMORE

$18.70

Helen Traubel

Hybrid Tea. A time tested old favorite. An exquisite combination of apricot and shell-pink. The long buds slowly unfurl their 25 to 30 broad petals to a very large, high-centered flower. Long, slender stems and rich spicy perfume. Lovely to cut. Helen Traubel is not the perfect rose but it blooms so freely it rates a place in your rose garden. (Lammerts.)

$3.90 ea.—3 or more, $3.65 ea.

HELEN TRAUBEL

Swarthmore

Hybrid Tea. This is "the" rose for the exhibitor and flower arranger, and for everyone who enjoys sculptured beauty. In fact, it is rated by the American Rose Society as one of the six top exhibition roses in the United States. A beautiful rose-red with the longest, largest bud of any rose we grow. Buds open so gracefully to such a perfect sculptured form they appear to have been poured from a mold.

Long buds are deep, clear rose-red while the open blooms display two tones of deep, clear rose-red. Each bloom will measure up to 5 inches across with 45 to 55 perfectly formed petals. Flowers come continuously on tremendous long, sturdy stems, ideal to cut for display. Plants are tall and well branched. A light, exotic fragrance is the perfect complement. For the exhibition table and in the home, SWARTHMORE is a must. (Meilland.) *Plant Pat. 2444.*

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SWARTHMORE

"It's a pleasure to deal with a company that stands behind its product."

G.F., CT.

PHARAOH

TROPICANA

Tropicana

Known and loved the world over for its bright, intense, "fluorescent" orange-red color and for its exceptional qualities as a cut rose. Appropriately named "Super Star" in Europe. Tropicana is a bright, intense orange-red, not deep but with a luminous quality to the petals that makes it come alive. This superb color holds exceptionally well, even in the hottest sun and when cut and brought indoors. Buds are exquisite and prized by flower arrangers. Blooms are double, medium large—4½ to 5 inches—elegantly formed and with good, strong fragrance. Tropicana is truly a classic.

Tall and bushy, well shaped plants are covered with shiny green disease resistant foliage and are decorative in their own right. Easy to grow for it is thrifty, hardy and it brings good quantities of vibrant bloom all season. (Tantau.) *Plant Pat. 1969.*

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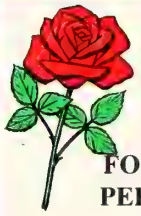

OFFER 118

FOUR GREAT PERFORMERS

GOLDEN GIRL
PASCALI
PORTRAIT
TROPICANA

$16.40

Golden Girl

Grandiflora. One of the very best yellows. Melting golden yellow at the center of the flower, with soft ivory at the petal edges. The blooms are fully double, of medium size and produced in quantity all season long. Long, slender buds with graceful sepals, much like those of Eclipse which for years has been held as the ideal for bud form. Golden Girl has more petals though, and for that reason holds its shape better than Eclipse and therefore lasts longer.

A tall, imposing yellow for background planting. Bushy and erect, with light green leaves. Full of buds and blooms all season until stopped by frost. A vigorous, compact grower, Golden Girl is a totally satisfying rose—a modern and better version of Eclipse. (Meilland.) *Plant Pat. 1912.*

$4.50 ea.—3 or more, $4.20 ea.

GOLDEN GIRL

"We have never spent a more pleasant morning than the one spent yesterday at Star Roses. We have just started planting roses and plan on buying some from Star Roses this fall. We intend to visit this terrific place more often."

P.M.

"I've dealt with X nursery, Y nursery, and Z nursery. Yours have been healthier plants, better starters, and produced better than all."

Reverend J.R., PA.

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ROSES ARE SO EASY

The secret to beautiful roses is simple and very basic. If your soil grows good tomatoes it will grow marvelous roses. Take care when planting your roses—plant them right. The few extra minutes it takes will be well worthwhile. Water them when it gets very dry and establish a regular spray or dusting program—it only takes a few minutes each week. Follow these simple rules and you too will have "success with roses."

Portrait

Hybrid Tea. Distinctive, rich and colorful. Portrait produces masses of beautiful urn shaped buds of delightful pink literally bursting into large creamy blooms edged a deep yet delicate satiny blush. Occasional gold tones wash the open bloom in glowing warmth while the solid pink reverse adds depth and sparkle. At least 50 firm petals roll back to a fully double, high centered, 4-inch bloom. As you would expect, a delicious tea rose fragrance of old-fashioned perfume is present. Flowers come on well proportioned stems of medium length. Perfect to cut.

Portrait is upright, growing tall and strong. It is freely branched and holds its lovely blooms aloft for all to see and admire. The unusual vigor gives continuous quantities of eye-catching roses all season.

Rugged hardiness combined with masses of beautiful flowers make Portrait a satisfying, carefree, easy-to-grow rose. Colorful and disease resistant—the perfect rose show all season. A rose so good a whole article about it appeared in The National Geographic. (Meyer.) *Plant Pat. 3097.*

$3.90 ea.—3 or more, $3.65 ea.

PORTRAIT

PASCALI

Pascali

Hybrid Tea. Delicate-looking buds open to perfect blooms of soft creamy white with a warm ivory-yellow center. Flowers are high centered, perfectly formed, medium large, double, with over 35 satiny petals that curl back as they open. Plants are often over 4 feet high with strong stems. Excellent for cutting. Healthy dark green foliage. Exquisitely beautiful flowers and good plant habit make Pascali an unusually fine white rose. (Lens.) *Plant Pat. 2592.*

$4.50 ea.—3 or more, $4.20 ea.

COLORFUL, EXCITING AND DIFFERENT

Colorama

Hybrid Tea. Here is a large-flowered beauty that literally flaunts its rich colors. Buds are two-tone of soft yellow flushed salmon-pink—shapely and well pointed. As they begin to open they show the carmine red on the inner side of the petals. A bright splash of yellow spreads over the red at the center of the 5-inch flower and the vivid contrast of red and yellow lasts for the life of the bloom. A medium tall grower with a light scent. (Meilland.) *Plant Pat. 2862.*

$4.50 ea.—3 or more, $4.20 ea.

COLORAMA

Golden Prince

Hybrid Tea. Crisp and sparkling—this is truly an exciting yellow rose. When opening the long, shapely buds are tinged with rich glowing orange. But the 5-inch open bloom is something else, it is the deepest, brightest gold we have seen. Flush after flush of golden blooms come—usually one to the stem and sparkle above the glossy leaves. Moderate height, well branched and with good strong canes. Foliage is large, thick and plentiful. Golden Prince is truly a bright colorful yellow. (Meilland.) *Plant Pat. 2949.*

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"I am the garden editor of a radio station and I keep recommending Star Roses to all my friends and listeners. I've never lost one of the rose plants I've bought from you. Keep up the high quality you've become famous for!"

L.L., OH.

President, R.J. Hutton's response: "We will."

LADY X

Lady X

Hybrid Tea. Delicate soft lilac-lavender with a light perfume. Blooms are exquisitely modeled with the high pointed center and lasting ability that wins blue ribbons at the rose show. Buds are beautifully formed with an iridescent lilac color that is striking and lovely through the life of the bloom. As many as 60 petals grace this fully double satiny bloom.

Unusually tall and strong, Lady X is a real back-row Hybrid Tea that blooms and blooms all season. Very vigorous, hardy and covered with rich green foliage. Try Lady X at your next rose show. You will not only know you have the best blooms in the show, you might even bring home the blue ribbon. (Meilland.) *Plant Pat. 2691.*

$4.50 ea.—3 or more, $4.20 ea.

GOLDEN PRINCE

Lady Elgin

Hybrid Tea. A butterscotch rose that is so warm and inviting you can hardly wait for it to bloom. Lady Elgin is a rose of top exhibition quality. Medium long buds are very well formed and of fine texture. Rich deep orange, they open to slightly lighter apricot, becoming a blend of butterscotch and apricot. Big solid blooms have 35 to 45 big, firm petals. The color remains vivid for the entire life of the bloom. The bush is tall, strong, upright and completely covered with rich sea-green leaves to highlight the rich, lasting color. Subtly perfumed and superb for cutting.

We often hear, "Lady Elgin is the oustanding rose in my garden." (Meilland.)

$3.90 ea.—3 or more, $3.65 ea.

LADY ELGIN

Starburst

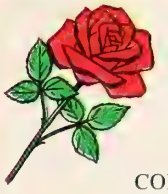
Grandiflora. An exuberant rose that literally springs to life. A true bicolor. Bright orange-red on the inner surface of the petals and a bright, rich yellow at the base, blending to soft orange-yellow at the edge on the reverse. Pointed buds unfurl nicely to delightfully ruffled, cupped blooms.

Unusual glistening foliage provides a thick covering for the bushy plant. Medium height—will fit anywhere. Fine as a cut flower. (Meilland.) *Plant Pat. 2974.*

$3.90 ea.—3 or more, $3.65 ea.

"I do not feel you give your rose Swarthmore (see Page 17) a just rating or advertisement. The shape and color are perfect and outlast almost any rose. In a patient's room lately, five of these roses stood out above all her many vases of flowers. They have just perfect lasting qualities and beauty." C.S., VA.

STARBURST



OFFER 121

EYE-CATCHING ROSES

COLORAMA
GOLDEN PRINCE
LADY ELGIN
LADY X
STARBURST

$18.80

RICH AND

Tiffany

Hybrid Tea. A classic, projecting elegance and refinement like no other; an unusually fine pink Hybrid Tea. Beginning with a long, exquisitely formed bud that develops into a beautifully high-pointed flower. Color is a dramatic blending of light pink and pale gold. Blooms are nicely full but never "heavy"—always clear and fresh. Five-inch flowers are usually one to the long stiff stem. An excellent cutting rose—flower shape and color hold well. The perfect complement is the rich tea perfume that literally fills a room.

Plants are medium tall and very free blooming, with plentiful light green foliage. Wins prizes at the show table. (Lindquist.)

$3.90 ea.—3 or more, $3.65 ea.

Command Performance

The bright orange color, inherited from Tropicana, the distinctive star-shaped bloom, and the heavy petal substance make Command Performance an exceptional rose—great for cutting. Bright and unchanging all season, this stately rose brings flush after flush of outstanding bloom. Long, pointed buds become medium size flowers made up of 50 luxurious petals. Color holds a vivid, clear orange. A sweet, appealing fragrance.

Tall, strong and covered with large leathery leaves. (Lindquist.) *Plant Pat., 3063.*

$4.50 ea.—3 or more, $4.20 ea.

COMMAND PERFORMANCE

TIFFANY

King's Ransom

Hybrid Tea. Big, 5-inch, attractive chrome-yellow blooms, with a nice lingering fragrance. Ideal for cutting and arranging. Medium long buds, tightly curled. Fully double, golden blooms of excellent form. The gleaming golden color is emphasized by the rose-red stamens that show when the flower is fully open. Blooms come singly on long stems and open well even in unfavorable weather.

Moderately tall with glossy green, dark foliage.

King's Ransom is a fine yellow and recommended for every garden. (Morey.) *Plant Pat. 2103.*

$4.90 ea.—3 or more, $4.60 ea.

LIVELY

Big Red

An excellent big, bold, bold solid red—so velvety and strong. A very bright red with a rosy red tone on the underside of the petals. Fat, pointed buds open to huge 6-inch flowers, very velvety and high centered and packed with 50 to 60 luxurious petals. Each petal is large and curled slightly in classic form to make an exceptionally firm flower, with a rich spicy fragrance.

A tall grower that is both upright and spreading.

The excellent choice for that one wonderful red to put on a continuous show in your garden. (Meilland.) *Plant Pat. 2693.*

$4.50 ea.—3 or more, $4.20 ea.

BIG RED

KING'S RANSOM

Confidence

With this lovely form and outstanding color, this is one of the most delightful roses you can have in your garden. Long, streamlined buds open to gracefully high, pointed blooms that reach a width of 5 inches. The high-centered flowers are a delicate blend of pastel tints—softest peach, shrimp-pink, ivory and gold. Flowers are extra soft and lovely in color and have a pleasing perfume.

Good plants—upright and bushy, are well covered with dark leathery leaves. The bush is a good producer from spring to fall bringing flush after flush of bloom. If you like delicate colors, you will love Confidence. Of course, you will love it for cutting. (Meilland.)

$3.90 ea.—3 or more, $3.65 ea.

CONFIDENCE

OFFER 123

FIVE ALL-TIME GREATS

BIG RED
COMMAND PERFORMANCE
CONFIDENCE
KING'S RANSOM
TIFFANY

$19.80

MIRANDY

Blanche Mallerin

Hybrid Tea. Majestic, fragrant and snowy white. Irresistible. This pure satiny white is often used as the perfect example of the classic Hybrid Tea. Buds are elegant, long and urn-shaped and pure white—well worth having just for its outstanding buds. The open bloom, too, is a majestic beauty of pure satiny white, 4½ inches across and of superb form and style. Lovely to look at—a real delight. A moderate, extremely sweet fragrance.

An easy white to grow. Give it an honored place in your garden. You won't be satisfied to leave it in the garden, though . . . you will often invite these snowy, gracefully formed blooms into your home. Plants are bushy yet upright with good heavy canes and leathery leaves. Plants bloom freely so you will want to cut the snowy flowers frequently. (Mallerin.)

$3.90 ea.—3 or more, $3.65 ea.

Mirandy

Hybrid Tea. Deep wine-red flowers and delightful fragrance are certainly two of the winning features of Mirandy. Pleasantly plump blooms are packed with petals and form a high, pointed center. Blooms open very slowly and are simply drenched with rich fruity fragrance. Its color is a sparkling velvety wine-red with some darker shadings. Mirandy's shortcoming may be that as the flowers age a purplish tinge appears, but Mirandy is so beautiful in its early life that it's easy to forgive this tiny fault. Excellent for cutting.

The 3 foot, sturdy plant has leathery foliage and puts on a terrific show, blooming steadily until frost. A favorite for years. (Lammerts.)

$3.60 ea.—3 or more, $3.40 ea.

Queen Elizabeth

Grandiflora. The first Grandiflora and still the queen of them all. No garden should be without this beauty. True royalty—ranking among the very best of all roses. To call Queen Elizabeth an outstanding rose would indeed be an understatement.

The lovely pink flowers are a clear, clean, "innocent" pink lightly ruffled and cupped. Blooms come 2 or 3 on a stem and also singly—truly a Grandiflora. Flowers are not extremely large but are borne in great profusion all summer long. Stems are unusually strong making the plant a commanding picture. Each bloom is a treat.

Very strong, vigorous and healthy giving a continuous rose show that will dominate your garden. (Lammerts.)

$3.90 ea.—3 or more, $3.65 ea.

"I ordered 3 roses from you last year; also, some from other places. Yours were the best."

L.M., AZ.

QUEEN ELIZABETH

Eclipse

Hybrid Tea. A famous old favorite whose golden yellow color and perfect bud have made it a tradition among gardeners. Buds are especially slender and tapered with long sepals that emphasize their gracefulness. The lively golden yellow in the bud slowly becomes a clear, bright chrome-yellow as the flowers open. Medium size blooms with 25 petals are carried on long strong stems. Ideal for cutting. Fragrance is quite strong and pleasant.

Plants tend to be tall and are very vigorous. Lovely all season. *A Tip:* Cut the buds soon after they begin to show color so you can admire them at their best. (Nicolas.)

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ECLIPSE

"Received your roses Thursday. What a nice surprise. They are just beautiful. The canes are so thick. We never saw roses like this. Our neighbors also remarked on the large canes. We love them."

E.S., IL.

BLANCHE MALLERIN

Chrysler Imperial

Hybrid Tea. Everyone loves big, big roses especially if they are glowing red and deliciously perfumed. This one has (along with Eclipse) become one of the all-time greats. Big, solid buds and full, high-centered flowers of rich crimson-red with a velvety overcast.

Chrysler Imperial is a classic Hybrid Tea that along with Peace and Eclipse belongs in every garden. A willing and steady bloomer all summer. Ideal for cutting. A sturdy plant of moderate height. Don't miss it—it's a beauty. (Lammerts).

$3.90 ea.—3 or more, $3.65 ea.

CHRYSLER IMPERIAL

OFFER 125

TRIED AND TRUE CLASSICS

BLANCHE MALLERIN
CHRYSLER IMPERIAL
ECLIPSE
MIRANDY
PEACE
QUEEN ELIZABETH

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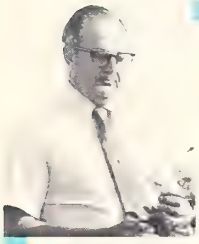
MONTEZUMA



DICK HUTTON

OFFER 126

THE PRESIDENT'S PERSONAL SELECTION

So frequently, I am asked, "Which is your favorite rose?" For me it is impossible to have just one favorite so here is a special collection of my 11 favorite Hybrid Teas and Grandifloras. To these I have added a bonus—that "oldie" Peace which is still tops in any garden.

You can't have more fun or pleasure from roses than these twelve will bring you. And, I'll send them to you for only $48.80. They are fully guaranteed to grow and bloom just like all of our quality Star Roses.

Sonia - true perfection (P. 48)
Chicago Peace - more beautiful than its parent (P. 11)
Medallion - grand and elegant (P. 7)
Gypsy - fiery and floriferous (P. 12)
Portrait - successful anywhere (P. 19)
Perfume Delight - the perfect name (P. 6)
Mister Lincoln - fragrant, red perfection (P. 7)
Tropicana - the truest orange (P. 18)
Oregold - finest yellow (P. 4)
Double Delight - distinctively different (P. 3)
Arizona - a joy to cut (P. 4)

PLUS PEACE. Yellow tinted pink. (P. 10)

$48.80

A Tremendous Value

Montezuma

A unique brilliant rosy salmon color that lasts and lasts. A pleasing addition for the garden and good to cut too. Shapely buds; high centered blooms, with about 40 petals. Overall the color has a creamy sheen.

Blooms come on medium long, strong stems. Plants are well branched and bushy so give it ample space to grow. Montezuma is excellent because of its strong, free growth and continuous profusion of bloom. (Swim.)

$3.60 ea.—3 or more, $3.40 ea.

Electron

Hybrid Tea. A top prize winner everywhere. Long buds and large, very full flowers of exhibition form with high centers and beautifully placed petals. The color is a very very bright, luscious, deep rose-pink. Both the rich color and the pleasing fragrance last well. Perfect for cutting, free blooming.

Bushy, vigorous and dense. (McGredy.) *Plant Pat. 3226.*

$4.50 ea.—3 or more, $4.20 ea.

Granada

Hybrid Tea. A bright, bright mixture of scarlet, glistening lemon-yellow and delightful, warm orange-pink. Blooms are medium size, informally shaped with about 20 large, ruffled petals and with a nice strong fragrance. Flowers can come in candelabras that completely cover the plant.

Strong, upright and tall. Free blooming. An excellent garden rose. (Lindquist.) *Plant Pat. 2214.*

$4.50 ea.—3 or more, $4.20 ea.

Crimson Glory

Hybrid Tea. Lovely velvety crimson, pointed buds open to double blooms of good substance. The rich fragrance has made this rose a by-word. Blooms come freely and continuously on a very strong but low-growing plant. Its only fault is the stems do tend to droop a little when the blooms are fully open. Planted for its perfume alone, it is worthwhile but you will love its warm, velvety color too. (Kordes.)

$3.60 ea.—3 or more, $3.40 ea.

ELECTRON

Comanche

Grandiflora. A tall, somewhat rangy plant with strong canes carrying their blooms in showy clusters of 6 to 8. Pointed buds are a delightful red opening to a fiery red that stands out against the decorative plant. Blooms are about 4 inches across with striking orange-red color. Plants are tall and spreading; vigorous and free flowering. Decorative garden plant. (Swim & Weeks.) *Plant Pat. 2855.*

$4.50 ea.—3 or more, $4.20 ea.

COMANCHE

More Star® Roses to Brighten Your Day

Condesa de Sastago

Hybrid Tea. A distinct bicolor of yellow and rose-scarlet. Always bright and gay with a heavy perfume. Oval buds and very full blooms come on good stiff stems. Medium height, vigorous and free blooming with glossy dark leaves.

We introduced this rose about 40 years ago and it aroused great enthusiasm because of its bicolor effect. For a newer rose of similar colors and better size, see Colorama on page 20. (Dot.)

$3.60 ea.—3 or more, $3.40 ea.

Fragrant Cloud

Hybrid Tea. Showy, well-shaped blooms with true rose perfume. Buds are rich dark red, becoming large, full flowers of bright coral-red that gradually deepens to orange-red. Perfect, high-pointed form and marvelous fragrance are outstanding.

Very strong plants, quite tall, with shiny leaves. Stands moderate shade. An asset in any garden. (Tantau.) *Plant Pat. 2574.*

$4.50 ea.—3 or more, $4.20 ea.

Laura

Hybrid Tea. Named for our own Laura Hutton, Laura (the rose) is exceptionally appealing, luminous salmon-pink with a nice perfume. Buds are extra long and the flowers are loosely cupped, about 5 inches wide. A very "feminine", light airy look.

A very strong grower, 3½ to 4 feet. (Meilland.) *Plant Pat. 2986.*

$4.50 ea.—3 or more, $4.20 ea.

Polynesian Sunset

Hybrid Tea. If you want large flowers and brilliant color above all else, this one is for you. The color is deep rich coral, gradually becoming coral-orange with a warm, iridescent glow that "lights up" the entire bloom. Fully double flowers up to 6 inches. Long, strong cutting stems hold the blooms proudly. A heady fruity scent is the final touch. Vigorous. (Boerner.) *Plant Pat. 2530.*

$3.90 ea.—3 or more, $3.65 ea.

Talisman

Hybrid Tea. An old-timer and the first of the multicolors. A breakthrough in its time but many newer roses are much better. Orange and rose combination. Good in the spring and fall with very little bloom between. (Montgomery Co.)

$3.60 ea.—3 or more, $3.40 ea.

GRANADA

CRIMSON GLORY

ROSE PARADE

EUROPEANA

MAKE YOUR LANDSCAPE COME ALIVE

There is no better way to have your landscape become a place of beauty than to plant these "flashy" roses. They will decorate any area around your home with a beauty you cannot get from any other plant. Each plant will be a lovely mound of sparkling color . . . use them as a low border, edge your walk or driveway. Plant them like any other flowering shrub and watch them liven up your yard. They are extra bushy, extra free flowering, and easy going.

Flashy Roses . . .

First Edition

One of the all-time great Floribundas. Luminous coral color comes in wave after wave making it the perfect rose to add color anywhere. Known as Arnaud Delbard in Europe, First Edition is the first All-America Award Winner from Georges Delbard in France. To create First Edition, Georges combined the distinction and beauty of Zambra with one of his own outstanding seedlings. The result is a tremendous show of distinctively different color produced on an outstanding bush. Delbard's fruit trees have long been known throughout the world but roses are and have been an important part of his life. (Delbard.) *Plant Pat. 3647.*

$4.50 ea.—3 or more, $4.20 ea.

Rose Parade

Floribunda. A bright, bright, sparkling pink and well worthy of its coveted All-America Award. Free blooming, vigorous plants are completely covered with big clusters of bright color. Fully double blooms up to 4-inches across—camellia perfect. Well formed buds have as many as 55 satiny petals and slowly open to beautiful bright blooms that catch every eye. A nice light perfume. Rugged, disease resistant and tall. (Williams.) *Plant Pat. 3065.*

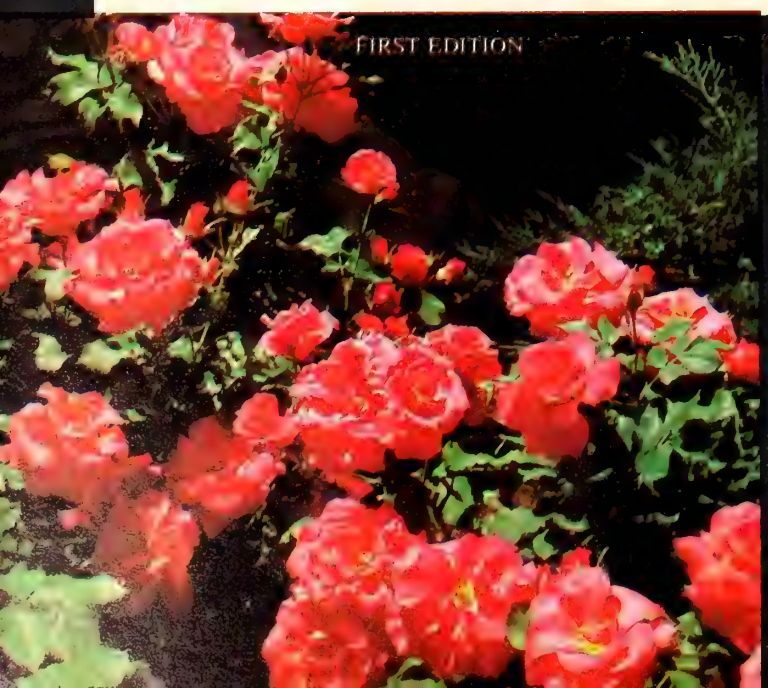
$3.90 ea.—3 or more, $3.65 ea.

Sunspot

Floribunda. Perhaps the best yellow Floribunda. Bloom size—5 inches, and the bright sparkling color are unsurpassed.

Rich, bright butter-yellow buds (slightly tinged with orange) become a sparkling bright, sunny yellow as they open. Blooms are as large and attractive as many Hybrid Teas and each flower has a nice fruity fragrance. Excellent for mass plantings and for bordering a walk or driveway. (Fisher.) *Plant Pat. 2576.*

$3.90 ea.—3 or more, $3.65 ea.



FIRST EDITION

SUNSPOT

REDGOLD

Bursting with Bloom

Europeana

Floribunda. The best red Floribunda—massive, colossal, spectacular and a terrific bloomer. Just one cluster makes a bouquet that lasts as long as a week.

Bears great heads of satiny red flowers as velvety as plush. Each cluster holds 20 or more flowers with beautifully ruffled petals. So magnificent in its first flush in June that even one plant glorifies a garden. Low and bushy, with soft mahogany-red foliage. (deRuiter.) *Plant Pat. 2540.*

$3.90 ea.—3 or more, $3.65 ea.

Angel Face

Floribunda. A unique breakthrough both in bloom color and form. A heavenly lavender washed with ruby around the edge of the petals. Perfectly formed flowers, about 3½ inches across with wavy, scalloped petals giving a delightful silhouette. Blooms can come one or two to the stem and also in small clusters. Charming at every stage. Nice perfume. Low and bushy plants. You can't help but love Angel Face. (Swim & Weeks.) *Plant Pat. 2792.*

$4.50 ea.—3 or more, $4.20 ea.

Redgold

Floribunda. Very attractive as a landscaping plant. The flowers are not large but they are a flashy contrast of colors.

At first soft chrome-yellow, the buds turn darker as they open, to a glowing orange-gold. Petals are edged brick-red, which later turns deeper magenta. The flowers are moderately double (about 30 petals), with light fragrance. Eight-inch stems, some bearing only one flower and others clusters. Plants are rangy, medium tall. (Dickson.) *Plant Pat. 3006.*

$3.90 ea.—3 or more, $3.65 ea.

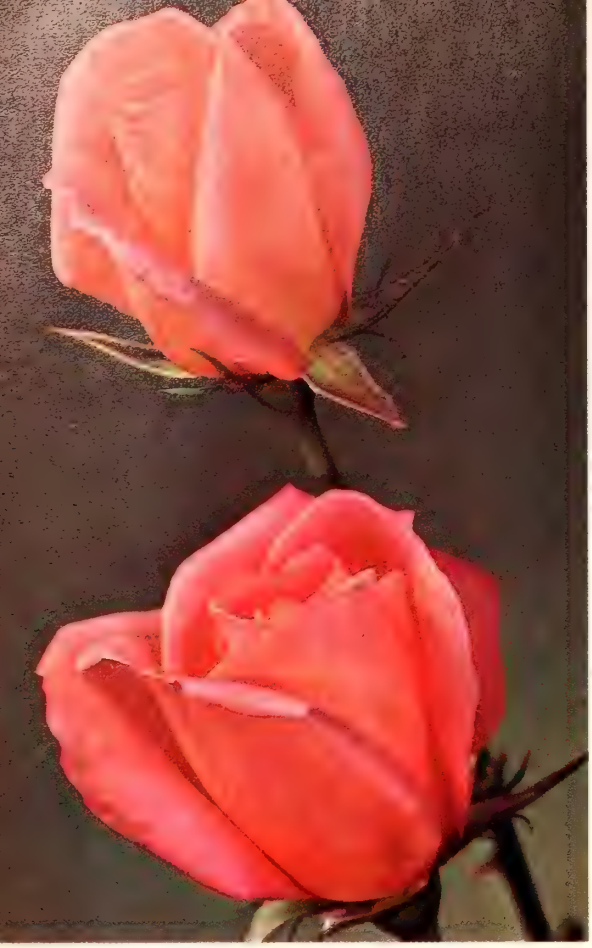
ANGEL FACE

OFFER 129

FLASHY FLORI'S

ANGEL FACE
EUROPEANA
FIRST EDITION
REDGOLD
SUNSPOT

$17.90



FASHION

TAMANGO

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Fashion

Floribunda. One of the most beautiful of all Floribundas. Oval, deep peach buds open slowly to 3½-inch blooms with good substance. Quite fragrant. A soft coral-peach-pink combination. A refreshing color that holds well and is always alluring. Lovely Hybrid Tea shape in the open bloom. Three-foot plants. (Boerner.)

$3.60 ea.—3 or more, $3.40 ea.

Tamango

The most "carefree" Floribunda. Three big pluses make Tamango an unusually good rose: flower size and quality, vigor and hardiness, and a spectacular profusion of bloom. Oval buds are deep red, and open to 4-inch luminous, velvety red flowers with 40 or more petals. Buds are in massive clusters of blazing color; blooms are large and double and last for days. Above average disease resistance. Smart and lively. (Meilland.) *Plant Pat. 2857.*

$3.90 ea.—3 or more, $3.65 ea.

Bicentennial

Named in honor of our Country's Bicentennial. Striking, bold, delicious and fiery. From the luxurious warmth of the glowing deep red velvet painted freely across the petal margins to the brighter red shades at the center, this is an exciting rose. Double blooms are 3½ inches across with a distinctive point at the tip of each petal. A lively rose with a light tea fragrance.

Bushy, well branched and very vigorous. (Meyer.) *Plant Pat. 3802.*

$4.50 ea.—3 or more, $4.20 ea.

Fire King

Floribunda. Excellent vigor and tall uniform growth—an excellent rose. Flashing orange-red, neat-looking flowers about 3 inches across. Blooms come in big clusters of 5 to 7. Fragrant, very long lasting and excellent for cutting. Very good disease resistance. Fire King will receive many admiring glances in your garden. (Meilland.) *Plant Pat. 1758.*

$3.90 ea.—3 or more, $3.65 ea.

Cathedral

The showy, fiery blend of colors catches and reflects each ray of sunlight. Shapely coppery-peach buds become lively scarlet-orange, semi-double, 4-inch blooms. Flowers mature to a deep scarlet richly enhanced by a golden apricot glow. Delicately ruffled petal edges give Cathedral an old-world charm. Vigorous and very bushy. (McGredy.) *Plant Pat. 3524.*

$4.50 ea.—3 or more, $4.20 ea.

OFFER 130

FREE BLOOMERS

BICENTENNIAL
CATHEDRAL
FASHION
FIRE KING
TAMANGO

$18.80

More Star® Floribundas

Bahia

Floribunda. Vivid golden orange blend that literally sparkles in the sun and produces a constant display of lively eye-catching color. Very double, 3-inch blooms have a nice spicy perfume, and come in good clusters. Ideal for mass planting or for just enjoying. (Lammerts.) *Plant Pat. 3525.*

$3.90 ea.—3 or more, $3.65 ea.

Betty Prior

Floribunda. Another with above average disease resistance, and ideal for a bushy, tall hedge. Large, spreading clusters of pink bloom come continuously. Dogwood shape, single blooms have 5 petals. Very showy with rich fragrance. Hardy, free blooming. Plants to 4 feet. (Prior.)

$3.60 ea.—3 or more, $3.40 ea.

Bon Bon

Floribunda. Dazzling pink and white bicolor. Excellent for landscaping. A heavy bloomer with low compact growth. Blooms are cupped and fully double. Neat, compact plants. (Warriner.) *Plant Pat. 3555.*

$3.90 ea.—3 or more, $3.65 ea.

Circus

Floribunda. Splashy red, yellow, pink and orange mixture of colors. Well formed buds and enormous bloom clusters. Bushy, vigorous and free flowering. Excellent hedge. A real show-off. (Swim.)

$3.60 ea.—3 or more, $3.40 ea.

Gene Boerner

Floribunda. Deep rose pink becoming a clear, soft delicate pink in the open bloom. Dainty pointed buds and blooms have perfect form. Very showy with a light fragrance. Erect and bushy. (Boerner.) *Plant Pat. 2885.*

$3.90 ea.—3 or more, $3.65 ea.

Saratoga

Floribunda. Pure white, gardenia-like flowers. Exceptionally large blooms are 4½ inches across and last well. Buds are soft cream, opening to pure snowy white. Blooms come in profusion all summer on good 3-foot plants. Fragrant. (Boerner.) *Plant Pat. 2299.*

$3.90 ea.—3 or more, $3.65 ea.

Spartan

A Floribunda that is always covered with bright, clear, deep coral blooms. Spartan has Hybrid Tea form—open blooms to 3½ inches. Flowers come singly and several to the stem. Good fragrance. An excellent rose that never disappoints. (Boerner.)

$3.60 ea.—3 or more, $3.40 ea.

FIRE KING

CATHEDRAL

BICENTENNIAL

SPECTACULAR STAR® CLIMBERS

AMERICA

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THE PICTURESQUE CLIMBERS

A climbing rose in full bloom provides a stunning effect . . . beside a doorway, tumbling over a stone wall or an old stump, on posts, pillars and fences. Climbers serve as a beautiful background for bush roses and can give you privacy and quiet when used as a screen. Use them for an outstanding display of color. Be creative!

America

The one outstanding Climber to come along in the last twenty years. Rich, salmon-pink Hybrid Tea form blooms, extremely floriferous and free flowering with a rich spicy perfume. Perhaps the most totally satisfying climber ever. Lovely salmon buds, nicely pointed, roll back forming a fully double, 4-inch bloom. Color softens in the open bloom to a rich, even salmon-pink. (Warriner.) *Plant Pat. 3682.*

$5.90 ea.—3 or more, $5.50 ea.

Red Fountain

One of the fine new everblooming Climbers that are so versatile. Use it as a Climber, hardy Pillar or just for a splendid mass on a fence. A virtual fountain of arching canes. Medium-sized buds are almost black-red, and the dark blooms are overlaid with a luxurious blackish velvet. (Williams.) *Plant Pat. 3615.*

$4.90 ea.—3 or more, $4.60 ea.

Golden Showers

The finest yellow climber and winner of an All-America Award. Double, fragrant, daffodil-yellow flowers, very large for a Climber—5 inches. Vigorous and free blooming—needs no support. (Lammerts.)

$4.50 ea.—3 or more, $4.20 ea.

Rhonda

Everblooming. A lovely pink with large full-bodied flowers. Perfectly formed blooms as graceful as a Hybrid Tea. Stiff stems, excellent for cutting. Color is a true medium pink with some coral tones. (Lissemore.) *Plant Pat. 2854.*

$4.90 ea.—3 or more, $4.60 ea.

RED FOUNTAIN

Blaze

New Improved Everblooming Kind. The "everywhere" climber! A great burst of scarlet in June and again in the fall with some bloom during the summer. Blooms with complete freedom. A virtual blaze of glory. Hardy; needs very little care. Very easy to grow. (Kallay.)

$3.90 ea.—3 or more, $3.65 ea.

OTHER STAR® CLIMBERS

Blossomtime

Everblooming Climber. A light, delicate pink on the upper side of the petals and a deep rosy pink on the underside. (O'Neal.)

$3.90 ea.—3 or more, $3.65 ea.

Climbing Crimson Glory

Repeat Blooming. Urn-shaped buds and velvety, high-centered flowers of deep vivid crimson. Wonderful Fragrance. (Naungayan.)

$3.90 ea.—3 or more, $3.65 ea.

Climbing Peace

Repeat Blooming. The same huge, double flowers that made Peace famous. Lovely yellow and ivory with pink edges. (Brady.)

$3.90 ea.—3 or more, $3.65 ea.

Coral Dawn

Everblooming. Excellent large coral to rose-pink flowers. 4½ inches across with 35 satiny petals. Blooms come in clusters of from 3 to 20. Pleasing fragrance. (Boerner.)

$3.90 ea.—3 or more, $3.65 ea.

Don Juan

Everblooming Climber. Rich dark red blooms come in huge masses. A pillar rose 8 to 10 feet high. Perfect for fences. Five inch, fully double blooms. (Malandrone.) *Plant Pat. 1864.*

$4.90 ea.—3 or more, $4.60 ea.

New Dawn

Everblooming. Softest lovely blush pink, good size blooms. Apple-blossom pink—beautiful anywhere. Blooms repeatedly. (Somerset.)

$3.90 ea.—3 or more, $3.65 ea.

White Dawn

Repeat Blooming. Snowy white, semi-double blooms (gardenia shape.) Nice clusters and pleasing fragrance. Good, strong. (Longley.)

$3.90 ea.—3 or more, $3.65 ea.

BLAZE

OFFER 133

FOUR OUTSTANDING

BLAZE
GOLDEN SHOWERS
RED FOUNTAIN
RHONDA

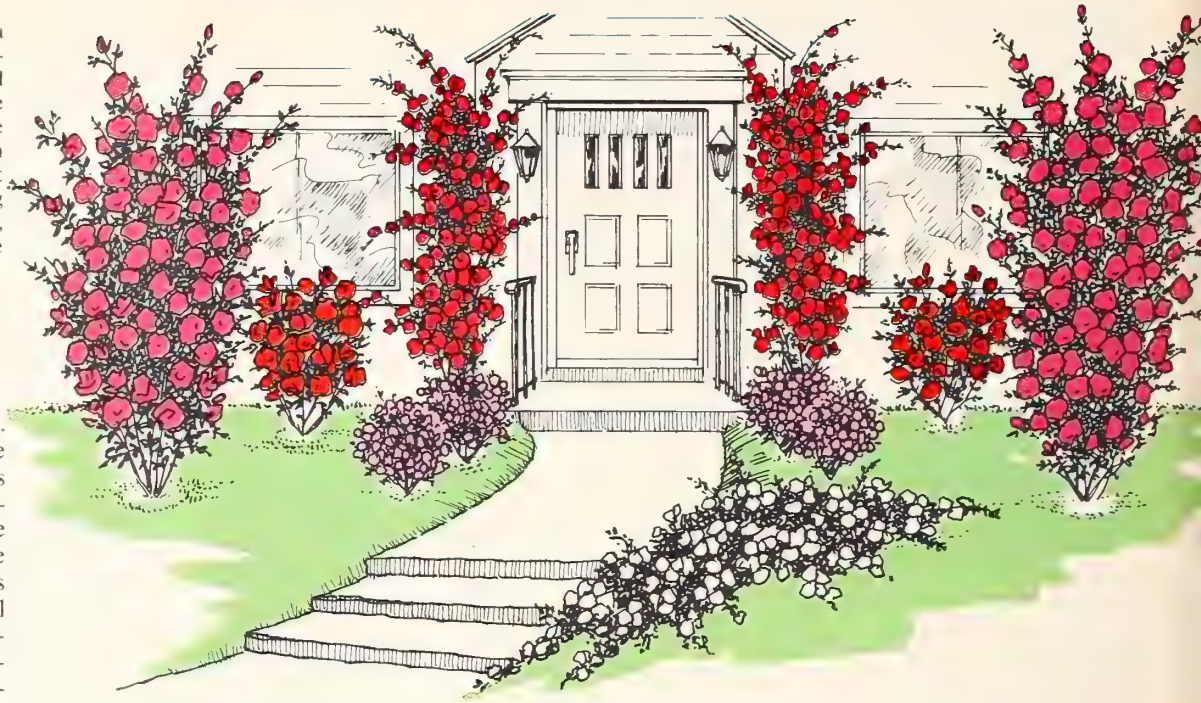
$16.70

GOLDEN SHOWERS

RHONDA

CAREFREE

Star Roses has supplied a nearby Highway Department with many thousand Sea Foam plants over the past ten years. These were for highway beautification and are now magnificent specimen plantings along that State's highways, showing Sea Foam to be the "carefree" rose we claim.



Sea Foam on the bank; The Fairy edging the walk; Red Fountain on each side of the entranceway; Tamango under each window; Rhonda in the yard.

Sea Foam

Hybrid Shrub Rose. Lovely pure white teardrop-shaped buds become 2 to 3-inch double blooms that age gradually to a delicate soft cream. Sometimes in cool weather petal edges are tinged a delicate pink adding contrast. Perfectly charming for small arrangements. A remarkable shrub rose producing fine clusters of sparkling bloom all season long. Tough, hardy and tremendously vigorous. Lovely and almost completely free of any type of disease. Truly troublefree. One of the most remarkable roses with unlimited use. Use Sea Foam as a specimen plant, as a border or broad, low hedge, tied to a trellis or fence it makes an outstanding white pillar. Perfect as a ground cover on a sunny bank or draped over a wall. All you need is a little imagination. A breakthrough in rose breeding and one of the most useful roses. (Schwartz.) *Plant Pat. 2463.*

$3.90 ea.—3 or more, $3.65 ea.

The Fairy

Ideal for any use. Beautiful 2 to 3 foot shrub with hundreds of seashell-pink flowers coming in large clusters all season. A dense, hardy, thrifty bush, exceptionally resistant to disease and insects. Lacy foliage is small, shiny and beautifully green. A multitude of lovely pink blooms from early summer until frost. An excellent lawn specimen, a colorful hedge, background planting—a flourish of color even in partial shade. A foolproof rose that has almost every good quality possible. And, don't overlook The Fairy as a tree rose on Page 35. It's spectacular. (Bentall.)

$3.60 ea.—3 or more, $3.40 ea.

THE FAIRY

OFFER 134

CAREFREE TWO

SEA FOAM
THE FAIRY

$6.90

SEA FOAM

TREE ROSES ARE SPECIAL

Only those who have seen the beauty of Tree Roses can appreciate what they do for any garden. An exciting new experience with roses can be yours this summer with these special Tree Roses grown on sturdy trunks 3 feet tall. Any kind of rose can be budded to such a trunk, and the flower will be exactly the same as the variety growing as a bush. It makes a fine accent in a planting of bush roses, at an entrance or beside a patio. Provide a stake as support, and tie the trunk in at least three places, using soft material so as not to damage the bark. Tree roses require very limited pruning—just enough to keep the top in shape.

We have selected some of our finest varieties to grow as trees, to give you thrilling accents for your lawn and garden. A little extra care will reward you with new gardening pleasure.

SEA FOAM

Star Tree Roses

PRICES OF ALL TREE ROSES

$12.90 ea.—$11.90 ea. for any two to four—$10.90 ea. for any five or more

Note: *Because we may run short of a kind in which you are interested, it is best to name a second choice from among those listed here.*

OFFER 135
5 STAR TREE ROSES

CHRYSLER IMPERIAL
FIRST PRIZE
PEACE
SEA FOAM
TROPICANA

ONLY $49.80

SAVE $14.70

We must add this little postscript to the box above to point out the extra beauty of Sea Foam and The Fairy when they are grown as Tree roses. The illustration (above, right) shows Sea Foam, and The Fairy too is a regular shower of the daintiest little roses you can imagine. Both are very hardy and carefree. There's nothing more charming that you can plant as a pick-me-up for your rose garden. For more description of both, see page 34.

Varieties Available

TREE ROSES ARE SHIPPED DIRECT TO YOUR DOOR WITH ALL CHARGES PREPAID

ANGEL FACE. Lavender (see page 29).
ARIZONA. Golden copper (see page 4).
CHRYSLER IMPERIAL. Crimson (see page 25).
DOUBLE DELIGHT. Red and cream (see page 3).
EUROPEANA. Dark red (see page 29).
FIRST PRIZE. Two-tone pink (see page 5).
GARDEN PARTY. White (see page 16).
GYPSY. Orange-red (see page 12).
MISTER LINCOLN. Lively red (see page 7).
OREGOLD. Yellow (see page 4).
PEACE. Cream and pink (see page 10).
PERFUME DELIGHT. Pink (see page 6).
QUEEN ELIZABETH. Rich pink (see page 24).
SEA FOAM. White (see page 34).
SUMMER SUNSHINE. Deep yellow (see page 9).
THE FAIRY. Pink (see page 34).
TROPICANA. Orange-red (see page 18).

BABY GOLD STAR

BO-PEEP

GOLD COIN

Baby Gold Star. A golden beauty with perfectly formed buds and double blooms. A good strong yellow that keeps well on the plant and when cut. Grows tall with small, soft foliage and produces wave after colorful wave of bloom till frost. Mild fragrance. (Dot.)

$2.50 ea.—3 or more, $2.30 ea.

Bo-Peep. Dainty, extremely double blooms of arbutus-pink. Tiny buds open to perfect blooms that last well. Especially lovely when cut. Eight-inch plants produce good quantities of bloom continuously. A very delightful, fine pink miniature. (deVink.)

$2.50 ea.—3 or more, $2.30 ea.

Gold Coin. The best yellow indoors. A striking buttercup-yellow with tiny pointed buds opening to double flowers only an inch across. Low, bushy plants produce continuous bloom. Lovely for those tiny arrangements and for enjoying outdoors. (Moore.) *Plant Pat. 2921.*

$2.75 ea.—3 or more, $2.50 ea.

Cinderella. Dainty white flowers with the faintest touch of pink. Well formed, 1-inch blooms cover the plant. Excellent, pointed foliage. Bushy, free blooming and always beautiful. This little darling has been a favorite for years and for your first miniature it is a wise choice. (deVink.)

$2.50 ea.—3 or more, $2.30 ea.

Scarlet Gem. Clear, brilliant orange-scarlet. Classic Hybrid Tea type flowers with excellent form and substance. It's hard to believe such a small plant can produce such perfect flowers. Hardy and free growing. A joy to grow and perfect anywhere. (Meilland.) *Plant Pat. 2155.*

$2.75 ea.—3 or more, $2.50 ea.

Pixie Rose. (Not Illustrated.) A wonderful deep rose-pink that holds its delicate color well. Small, very double flowers, produced freely. Plants are literally covered with bloom. Very small, dark green leaves on a dwarf, well branched plant. Flower production is very good all season. (Dot.) *Plant Pat. 2095.*

$2.50 ea.—3 or more, $2.30 ea.

Red Imp. (Not Illustrated.) Deep, unfading crimson. Good bud and flower form and each bloom is packed with as many as 60 velvety petals. A true, compact miniature with a bushy, upright plant 15 inches tall. (deVink.)

$2.50 ea.—3 or more, $2.30 ea.

WHITE GEM

White Gem. A stunning pure white miniature with a soft ivory touch at the center of the bloom. Blooms are larger than most miniature roses, very full petalled with excellent form. Very long lasting when cut. Plants are taller than most. Vigorous, attractive and striking. (Meilland.)

$2.75 ea.—3 or more, $2.50 ea.

OFFER 136

All 13 miniatures on these two pages

BABY GOLD STAR	PIXIE ROSE
BO PEEP	RED IMP
CHIPPER	ROSY GEM
CINDERELLA	SCARLET GEM
CRIMSON GEM	SHOOTING STAR
GOLD COIN	STARINA
WHITE GEM	

ONLY $27.90 - SAVE $6.90

CINDERELLA SCARLET GEM

Miniature Roses

Tiny, tiny roses that are beautifully formed, ruggedly hardy and colorful little copies of the big garden roses. Real roses only 8 to 15 inches tall, bloom profusely with roses the size of a quarter, are winter-hardy almost everywhere, bloom indoors in winter, bloom for years and years, and, yes, they even have tiny thorns. You will love these showy little roses.

Starina. An excellent, charming orange-red. A little larger bloom than the rest and plants are a bit taller. Exceptionally well formed blooms. Blooms well all summer. Charming as a cut flower for dainty bouquets. Brilliant and showy everywhere. (Meilland.) *Plant Pat. 2646.*

$2.90 ea.—3 or more, $2.65 ea.

Rosy Gem. Rosy pink buds open to delightful light pink, very well-shaped, 1½-inch, double blooms. Free blooming and long lasting. Vigorous and bushy, to 14 inches tall. Excellent and perhaps the very best pink. (Meilland.)

$2.75 ea.—3 or more, $2.50 ea.

Crimson Gem. A wonderful deep red. One-inch flowers with 50 to 60 velvety petals. A non-fading color that lasts and lasts. Excellent as a cut flower. Very strong, bushy and free blooming. A real gem. (deRuiter.)

$2.90 ea.—3 or more, $2.65 ea.

Chipper. Each bloom is a little beauty of elegant shape. Petals are arranged in classic style. Good-sized, coral-pink flowers come continuously on a compact 18-inch plant. The tallest of the Mini's. (Meilland.) *Plant Pat. 2764.*

$2.75 ea.—3 or more, $2.50 ea.

Shooting Star. Double, very long lasting flowers of chartreuse-yellow tipped fiery red. Petals curl in star form. Bushy plants to 15 inches tall. Good repeat bloom. Charming for boutonnieres and dainty arrangements. (Meilland.)

$2.75 ea.—3 or more, $2.50 ea.

OFFER 137
6 CHARMING MINI's

CRIMSON GEM
GOLD COIN
ROSY GEM
SHOOTING STAR
STARINA
WHITE GEM

$14.90

OFFER 137A
OUR FOUR BEST

CHIPPER
CINDERELLA
SCARLET GEM
STARINA

$9.90

OFFER 137B
10 COLORFUL MINI'S

BABY GOLD STAR
CHIPPER
CRIMSON GEM
GOLD COIN RED IMP
ROSY GEM
SCARLET GEM
SHOOTING STAR
STARINA WHITE GEM

$23.70

STARINA

ROSY GEM

CRIMSON GEM

CHIPPER

SHOOTING STAR

STAR® ROSE FACT SHEET

ABBREVIATIONS USED

Bic	= Bicolor	Dk	= Dark	Lt	= Light	Str	= Strong
Bl	= Blend	Ex	= Excellent	M or		T	= Tall
Bril	= Brilliant	Fl	= Floribunda	Med	= Medium	Upr	= Upright
Brt	= Bright	Gr	= Grandiflora	Multi	= Multicolor	V	= Very
Cl	= Climber	HT	= Hybrid Tea	Or	= Orange	Vig	= Vigorous
Cpd	= Cupped	L	= Low	Pk	= Pink	Wh	= White
Cr	= Cream	Lav	= Lavender	Sh	= Shrub	Yel	= Yellow
Dbl	= Double	Lg	= Large	Spr	= Spreading		

Height: Necessarily this is a relative term and will vary for different localities. Heights we give are for eastern Pennsylvania, where we live. Low growing is 1½ to 2 feet; tall growing is over 3½ feet, and everything else is in between. If you have a shorter growing season than we do, plants will grow lower; if a longer season, then taller.

HYBRID TEA ROSES

The marvelous, long-stemmed roses you get from a florist are Hybrid Teas. They come in a wide color range, are large and well formed, many richly fragrant, usually long stemmed. All are perfect to cut.

Rose Name	Index	Color	Bud	Bloom	Fragrance	Ht.	Plant Habit	Uses: Cut	Uses: Mass	Uses: Hedge	Outstanding Characteristics	Price: Each	Price: 3 For
American Heritage	14	Cr-wh, pk bl	Long	Lg. dbl	Slight	T	Str, upr	Yes	Good	No	Color, form	$4.50	$12.60
Apollo	13	Med yel	Long	Flat	Slight	T	Str, broad	Yes	Fair	No	Color, vigor	4.90	13.80
Big Red	23	Deep red	Lg	Big, fat	Good	MT	Erect, spr	Yes	Fair	No	Large blooms	4.50	12.60
Blanche Mallerin	24	Pure wh	V long	Even, flat	Some	MT	Upr	Yes	Fair	No	Bud & color	3.90	10.95
Chicago Peace	11	Pk-yel bl	Fat	Lg, full	Some	M	Str, broad	Ex	Yes	Fair	Has everything	4.90	13.80
Christian Dior	8	Red-red	Shapely	Big, full	Slight	T	Rather leggy	Ex	Fair	No	Wonderful cut	4.50	12.60
Chrysler Imperial	25	Deep red	Med full	Full, dbl	V	M	Vig, upr	Good	Yes	No	Has everything	3.90	10.95
Colorama	20	Yel-red bic	Med	Lg, dbl, cpd	Some	M	Upr	Yes	Yes	No	Vivid color	4.50	12.60
Command Perform.	22	Bril or	Long	Med, shapely	Slight	VT	Upr	Yes	No	No	Color & bud	4.50	12.60
Condesa de Sastago	27	Yel-red multi	Short	Med cpd	Some	M	Spr	Fair	Fair	No	Color	3.60	10.20
Confidence	23	Pastel pk	Long	Med dbl	Slight	MT	Upr, bushy	Yes	Fair	No	A classic	3.90	10.95
Crimson Glory	26	Dk red	Short	Med full	V	ML	Spr	Fair	Yes	Fair	Prolific bloom	3.60	10.20
Double Delight (new)	3	Red & cream	Long	V lg.	V strong	MT	Upr. bushy	Yes	Yes	No	Color, bloom, size	6.90	19.50
Eclipse	25	Clear yel	V long	Flat open	Good	MT	Upr	Fair	Yes	No	Shape of bud	3.60	10.20
Electron	26	Rose-pk	Urn-shape	Med dbl	Good	M	Bushy	Good	Good	Good	Floriferousness	4.50	12.60
First Prize	5	Pk	V long	Urn, dbl	Good	MT	Upr	Ex	Fair	No	A classic	5.40	15.60
Fragrant Cloud	27	Or-red	Full, fat	Lg	V	MT	Upr	Yes	Yes	No	Color, fragrance	4.50	12.60
Garden Party	16	Cr tinged pk	Med long	Lg, dbl	V	T	Broad	Yes	Yes	Fair	A classic	4.50	12.60
Golden Prince	20	Brt deep yel	Med long	Lg, dbl	Some	M	Even	Fair	No	No	Color	4.50	12.60
Granada	26	Red-yel multi	Urn-shape	Med cpd	V	M	Broad, bushy	Ex	Yes	Yes	Has everything	4.50	12.60
Gypsy	12	Fiery red	Oval	Dbl, cpd	Some	MT	Vig, upr	Good	Good	Good	Color, vigor	4.90	13.80
Helen Traubel	17	Apricot-pk	Med long	Lg, loose	V	MT	Broad	Fair	Fair	No	Lovely color	3.90	10.95
John F. Kennedy	12	Wh	Long	Med dbl	Some	T	Upr	Yes	Fair	No	Lots of bloom	4.90	13.80
King's Ransom	22	Chrome-yel	Long	Lg, shapely	Slight	MT	Bushy	Yes	Fair	No	Ex yel	4.90	13.80
Lady Elgin	21	Or-apricot	Med long	Solid	Good	MT	Str, upr	Yes	Fair	No	Bud & color	3.90	10.95
Lady X	20	Lav-pk	Urn-shape	Med, shapely	Some	T	Upr, broad	Ex	No	No	Vigor, color	4.50	12.60
Laura	27	Luminous pk	V long	Lg petaled	Good	T	Erect, vig	Yes	No	No	A lady rose	4.50	12.60
Medallion	7	Flaxen	V shapely	Lg, cpd	Some	T	Vig, upr	Good	Good	Good	Lg bloom, vigor	4.90	13.80
Mirandy	24	Dk crimson	Lg, fat	Big, dbl	V	M	Upr, spr	Yes	Fair	No	A classic	3.60	10.20
Miss All-Am. Beauty	13	Deep pk	Lg, full	Big, v full	V	M	Vig, upr	Ex	Yes	No	Has everything	4.90	13.80
Mister Lincoln	7	Velvet red	Long	Lg, full	V	T	Vig, erect	Yes	Yes	No	Has everything	4.90	13.80
Oklahoma	15	Deep dk red	Full	Lg, loose	V	MT	Upr, bushy	Yes	No	No	A classic	4.50	12.60
Oregold	4	Med yel	Long	Lg, dbl	Slight	MT	Upr, bushy	Good	Yes	Fair	Bud form, color, vigor	5.90	16.50
Pascali	19	Pure wh	Long	Lg, urn-shape	Slight	T	Vig, upr	Yes	Fair	No	A classic	4.50	12.60
Peace	10	Yel pk-tinged	Lg	Lg, full	None	M	Str, broad	Ex	Yes	Fair	A classic	3.90	10.95
Perfume Delight	6	Bril pk	Shapely	Lg, full	V ex	MT	Vig, upr	Ex	Fair	No	Fragr, bud form	4.90	13.80
Pharaoh	16	Deep scarlet	Med	Lg, dbl, loose	Some	MT	Vase-shape	Ex	Yes	No	Has everything	4.50	12.60
Pink Peace	10	Rich deep pk	Big	Big, full	V	T	Str, erect	Yes	Yes	No	Has everything	4.50	12.60
Polynesian Sunset	27	Coral-or	Med	Lg, dbl	Some	M	Vase-shape	Yes	Fair	No	Lovely color	3.90	10.95
Portrait	19	Med pk	Full, fat	Full, dbl	V	M	Upr, bushy	Yes	Yes	Fair	Has everything	3.90	10.95
Royal Highness	14	Pastel pk	Long	Lg, dbl	Good	M	Str, erect	Ex	No	No	A classic	4.90	13.80
Seashell	9	Salmon-pk	Lg, full	Lg, dbl	Good	T	Str, upr	Ex	Yes	No	Has everything	5.40	15.60
Summer Sunshine	9	Deep yel	Long	Lg, loose	Slight	MT	Erect, bushy	Yes	Fair	No	A classic	4.90	13.80
Swarthmore	17	Rose-red	V long	Pointed	Some	VT	Upr, bushy	Ex	No	No	Bud & form	4.50	12.60
Talisman	27	Or-rose multi	Short	Flat	Some	M	Upr	No	No	No	Good name	3.60	10.20
Tiffany	22	Pk	Long	Full, high	V	MT	Vase-shape	Ex	Fair	No	Has everything	3.90	10.95
Tropicana	18	Or-red	Med long	Dbl, cpd	Slight	MT	Str, leggy	Ex	Yes	No	Has everything	4.90	13.80
Yankee Doodle	8	Yel & scarlet	Lg	Lg, v full	Good	VT	Str, upr	Good	Good	No	Ex. plant, v full bloom	4.90	13.80

GRANDIFLORA ROSES

Grandifloras generally grow taller than Hybrid Teas. Their flowers may be somewhat smaller, in long-stemmed clusters. They are best planted where their height will be an advantage.

Rose Name	Index	Color	Bud	Bloom	Fragrance	Ht.	Plant Habit	Uses: Cut	Uses: Mass	Uses: Hedge	Outstanding Characteristics	Price: Each	Price: 3 For
Arizona	4	Golden copper	Med long	Med, shapely	Good	T	Vig, upr	Ex	Fair	No	Form, color, vigor	$4.90	$13.80
Camelot	14	Coral-pk	Oval	Lg, cpd	V	MT	Str, spr	Fair	Yes	Fair	Beauty, foolproof	4.50	12.60
Comanche	27	Indian red	Long	Med full	Slight	MT	Upr	Yes	Yes	No	Lots of bloom	4.50	12.60
Golden Girl	18	Golden yel	Med long	Dbl, shapely	Slight	M	Upr	Yes	Yes	No	Lots of bloom	4.50	12.60
Montezuma	26	Salmon-rose	Fat	Med dbl, tight	Slight	MT	Broad, str	Yes	Fair	Fair	Has everything	3.60	10.20
Prominent (new)	3	Bt. or	Oval	Med.	Slight	T	Upr. erect	Ex	Ex	Yes	Color	5.40	15.60
Queen Elizabeth	24	Rich lt pk	Oval	Med cpd	Slight	T	Upr, broad	Ex	Yes	Fair	Has everything	3.90	10.95
Scarlet Knight	16	Deep red	Med	Lg, loose	Some	MT	Upr, full	Yes	Yes	No	Lots of red	3.90	10.95
Sonia	48	Luminous coral	Shapely	Med, shapely	Some	MT	Vig, bushy	Ex	Yes	No	Form, color, vigor	4.90	13.80
Starburst	21	Red-yel multi	Med	Cpd	Good	M	Broad	Yes	Yes	Fair	Vivid color	3.90	10.95

FLORIBUNDA ROSES

Floribundas bloom in clusters and are excellent for continuous masses of color outdoors. Many have blooms as well formed as Hybrid Teas. They are ideal for hedges and along walks.

Rose Name	Index	Color	Bud	Bloom	Fragrance	Ht.	Plant Habit	Uses: Cut	Uses: Mass	Uses: Hedge	Outstanding Characteristics	Price: Each	Price: 3 For
Angel Face	29	Soft lav	Urn-shape	Perfect, ruffled	V	L	Spr, shapely	Yes	Yes	Fair	Color, form, fragr	$4.50	$12.60
Bahia	31	Brt or	Good form	Med cpd	Slight	T	Vig, bushy	Fair	Ex	Ex	Lasting, brt color	3.90	10.95
Betty Prior	31	Med pk	Small	Med size, single	None	T	Str, spr	No	Ex	Ex	Tall mass display	3.60	10.20
Bicentennial	30	Brt red bl	Shapely	Showy dbl	Light	M	Vig, bushy	Yes	Yes	Good	Color, prolific	4.50	12.60
Bon Bon	31	Pk-wh bl	Ex form	Med dbl	Slight	L	Bushy	Fair	Good	No	Form, color	3.90	10.95
Cathedral	30	Scarlet-apricot	Shapely	Med full	Light	M	Bushy, round	Yes	Ex	Good	Shimmering color	4.50	12.60
Circus	31	Gold-red multi	Urn-shape	Med	None	ML	Spr	Fair	Ex	Good	Colorful	3.60	10.20
Europeana	29	Dk red	Full	V dbl	Slight	L	Broad	Ex	Ex	Ex	Prolific bloom	3.90	10.95
Fashion	30	Brt apricot	Urn-shape	Lg, flat	Good	M	Bushy	Fair	Ex	Ex	Has everything	3.60	10.20
Fire King	30	Or-red	Long	Med full	Some	T	Upr	Ex	Ex	Ex	Brt color	3.90	10.95
First Edition (new)	2,28	Brt. coral	Pointed	Semi dbl	Slight	L	Broad	Yes	Ex	Ex	Color, plant	4.50	12.60
Gene Boerner	31	Pk-pk	Med	Lg, dbl	Slight	M	Erect, bushy	Yes	Ex	Ex	Lots of bloom	3.90	10.95
Redgold	29	Yel-red multi	Urn-shape	Small, brt	None	M	Vig, bushy	Fair	Ex	Ex	Constant color	3.90	10.95
Rose Parade	25	Lt coral-pk	Shapely	Dbl	Good	M	Bushy	Good	Yes	Yes	Color, form	3.90	10.95
Saratoga	31	Pure wh	Urn-shape	Med dbl	Good	L	Uniform, broad	Yes	Ex	Ex	Foolproof	3.90	10.95
Spartan	31	Red-coral	Oval	Dbl, even	Good	M	Bushy	Fair	Ex	Ex	Vigor, color	3.60	10.20
Sunspot	28	Brt yel	Oval	Even, dbl	Slight	M	Uniform, broad	Yes	Ex	Ex	Has everything	3.90	10.95
Tamango	30	Deep red	Oval	Lg, dbl	Slight	T	Vig, erect	Yes	Ex	Ex	Lasting, foolproof	3.90	10.95

CLIMBING ROSES

Climbing roses produce their flowers on long canes, creating a tremendous show on a wall, fence or trellis. Fine screen for a porch or to hide unsightly objects. Most Climbers need a season to get established before they start to bloom.

Rose Name	Index	Color	Bud	Bloom	Fragrance	Ht.	Plant Habit	Uses: Cut	Uses: Mass	Uses: Hedge	Outstanding Characteristics	Price: Each	Price: 3 For
America	32	Salmon-pk	Pointed	Lg, dbl	V spicy	T	Vig, str	Good	Ex	Ex	Ex, everything	$5.90	$16.50
Blaze	33	Med red	Oval	Med size	Slight	T	Vig, str	No	Ex	Fence	Easy to grow	3.90	10.95
Blossomtime	33	Pk	Oval	Med size	Good	M	Vig, spr	Fair	Yes	Fence	Lots of bloom	3.90	10.95
Cl. Crimson Glory	33	Deep red	Med	Med full	V	M	Upr	Yes	Yes	Fence	Bloom size	3.90	10.95
Cl. Peace	33	Yel tinged pk	Fat	Lg, full	None	T	Vig, broad	Yes	Fair	Fence	Lg bloom	3.90	10.95
Coral Dawn	33	Coral-pk	Oval	Cpd, med	Good	MT	Vig, spr	No	Yes	Fence	Lots of bloom	3.90	10.95
Don Juan	33	Deep red	Med	Lg, full	Some	T	Upr	Yes	Yes	Fence	Has everything	4.90	13.80
Golden Showers	32	Daffodil-yel	Long	Med flat	Good	T	Upr	Yes	Ex	Fence	Lots of bloom	4.50	12.60
New Dawn	33	Flesh-pk	Oval	Med flat	Slight	T	V vig, spr	No	Yes	Fence	Vigor, foolproof	3.90	10.95
Red Fountain	32	Deep red	Med	Med dbl	None	M	Vig	Fair	Yes	Yes	Vig, lots of bloom	4.90	13.80
Rhonda	32	Coral-pk	Oval	Med dbl	Slight	M	Str, broad	Yes	Yes	Fence	Lots of bloom	4.90	13.80
White Dawn	33	Wh	Short	Flat	Good	T	Str, irregular	No	Yes	Fence	Foolproof	3.90	10.95

SHRUB ROSES

Shrub roses are more spreading, denser plants than bush roses and are extremely useful as thick but friendly hedges. Vigorous, healthy, requiring no care, they are used to screen private areas, to edge a property and alone as sturdy ever-blooming shrubs.

Rose Name	Index	Color	Bud	Bloom	Fragrance	Ht.	Plant Habit	Uses: Cut	Uses: Mass	Uses: Hedge	Outstanding Characteristics	Price: Each	Price: 3 For
Sea Foam	34	Wh	Oval	Full dbl	Slight	L	Spr	Fair	Ex	Broad	Foolproof	$3.90	$10.95
The Fairy	34	Seashell-pk	Oval	Small	None	L	Bushy	Fair	Ex	Ex	Foolproof	3.60	10.20

MINIATURE ROSES

Miniature roses are grown like other kinds but are tiny in every detail . . . only 10 to 15 inches tall, with fern-like leaves and jewel-like flowers. In rock gardens, as dainty edgings and in small beds by themselves they are captivating and ruggedly hardy.

Rose Name	Index	Color	Bud	Bloom	Fragrance	Ht.	Plant Habit	Uses: Cut	Uses: Mass	Uses: Hedge	Outstanding Characteristics	Price: Each	Price: 3 For
Baby Gold Star	36	Golden Yel	Long	Dbl, flat	Some	T	Upr	Ex	Fair	Fair	Form, color	$2.50	$6.90
Bo-Peep	36	Blush-pk	Urn-shape	Star-shape	None	M	Broad, upr	Good	Good	Good	Best pk	2.50	6.90
Chipper	37	Coral-pk	Vase	Full dbl	None	T	Full, upr	Fair	Ex	Ex	Vigor, color	2.75	7.50
Cinderella	36	Wh	Urn-shape	Dbl, flat	None	L	Broad	Ex	Ex	Ex	A classic	2.50	6.90
Crimson Gem	37	Deep red	Ovoid	V full	None	M	Upr, bushy	Good	Ex	Ex	Lasting color	2.90	7.95
Gold Coin	36	Brt yel-gold	Ex form	Dbl	Slight	L	V bushy	Good	Ex	Ex	Form, color	2.75	7.50
Pixie Rose	36	Rose-pk	Urn-shape	V dbl	Slight	M	Upr	Good	Good	Good	Lovely form	2.50	6.90
Red Imp	36	Deep crimson	Oval	V dbl	None	M	Broad, upr	Good	Ex	Ex	A classic	2.50	6.90
Rosy Gem	37	Rosy pk	Good form	Dbl	None	M	Bushy	Ex	Ex	Ex	Lots of bloom	2.75	7.50
Scarlet Gem	36	Or-scarlet	Vase	Full dbl	None	T	Full, upr	Ex	Ex	Ex	A classic	2.75	7.50
Shooting Star	37	Red-gold	Oval	Dbl	Slight	M	Bushy	Ex	Good	Good	Lasting color	2.75	7.50
Starina	37	Or-red	Urn-shape	Full dbl	Slight	T	Str, upr	Ex	Ex	Ex	Has everything	2.90	7.95
White Gem	36	Wh	Tiny	V full	V	T	Bushy	Good	Good	Fair	Long lasting	2.75	7.50

JOIN THE AMERICAN ROSE SOCIETY

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To anyone who sends us his dues by December 31, 1977 for a *new membership* in The American Rose Society, we will give absolutely FREE a Pink Peace rose bush.

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The Hardy Blue Hollies

Now an outstanding new type of ruggedly hardy, red berried Holly. Truly beautiful in all seasons. The Blue Hollies are of the new Botanical species Ilex x meserveae. As far back as 1946, the Blue Hollies were being planned. It took years of hybridizing, testing and evaluation to produce the rugged Blue Hollies. Kathleen Meserve is truly an American success story. (Meserve.)

Price $9.90 each; 3 or more, $9.30 ea.

OFFER 140	OFFER 140A
BLUE PRINCE BLUE PRINCESS	BLUE ANGEL BLUE PRINCE
$17.90	**$17.90**

OFFER 140B

BLUE ANGEL BLUE PRINCE
BLUE PRINCESS

$25.90

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Blue Princess

Blue Princess outdoes all the "girls" in the production of rich red berries. A profusion of bright, shiny berries in big, bold clusters stands out along the stems. The distinctive blue stems make the abundant berries stand out and catch your eye. Blue Princess grows vigorously, is broad, upright, freely branched and well clothed with glossy, deep green foliage. Ruggedly hardy and unusually attractive in all seasons. *Plant Pat. 3675.*

Blue Prince

Vigorous growth; glossy, rugged, attractive foliage; and abundant pollen to fertilize all the "girl" hollies in a wide area. Well branched, compact growth makes a broad natural pyramid. Blue Prince has the purplish blue branches distinctive to the Blue Hollies and so attractive. For your "girl" hollies to berry, you need Blue Prince, and he's a beauty. *Plant Pat. 3517.*

Blue Angel

An exciting new hybrid holly. Exceptionally hardy. Vigorous, well branched plants have compact growth and distinctive bluish stems. Uniquely "crinkled" leaves are very dark, glossy and extremely dense. Berries are deep red, shiny and unusually large. A big plus for Blue Angel is that it is a highly ornamental plant that enhances any setting and takes shearing exceptionally well. *Plant Pat. 3662.*

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Pacific Hybrid Delphiniums

"IMAGINE HAVING GLORIOUS SPIKES OF COLOR 6 FEET TALL"

Truly spectacular, these impressive Pacific Hybrid Delphiniums will stand like 5 to 6-foot sentinels in your garden attracting attention. Easy to grow, Delphiniums like sunlight, good garden soil and above all, don't crowd them; set them 18 inches apart to give them room to grow. Don't pinch or cut them back. These fine Hybrids will give you a good quantity of bloom this first year. We recommend 5 to 6 foot stakes, tied in several places for wind protection.

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12 Pacific Hybrids

3 ASTOLAT
3 GALAHAD
3 KING ARTHUR
3 SUMMER SKIES

A lovely Delphinium garden

ONLY $9.60

ASTOLAT. Lovely tones from pale blush to deep raspberry-rose, the nearest to true pink.

BLUEBIRD. Good, clear, medium blue with white bees. Well-formed round flowers are 2½ inches in diameter. One of the most popular blue delphiniums.

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Any 3 for $3.30 — any 6 for $6.30
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6 Pacific Hybrids

1 each of those listed

$6.30

OFFER 141A

18 Pacific Hybrids

3 each of those listed

$14.70

ASTOLAT

Top left RUSSIAN VIOLET
Bottom left FAIREST ONE
Top right WHITE ADMIRAL
Bottom right CHARLES CURTIS
Center THUNDERBOLT

Lovely Perennials

Perennials give a feeling of permanence to any planting. They live for years, and grow bigger and more showy with the passing of time. They demand very little care for the beauty they give which is an advantage for weekend gardeners.

It's easy to find a place for perennials, wherever you live. Like all other plants, be careful to locate each in the spot that will suit it best. Make combinations of kinds and colors that will look well together. You will be rewarded with handsome color for weeks in the garden and most perennials are excellent for cutting too.

PRICES FOR ALL PERENNIALS

$1.45 each—3 or more of a kind $1.30 ea.

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Large Perennial Garden For All-Season Bloom

1 ASTILBE	1 CORAL BELLS, RED	1 MILFOIL
2 BABY'S BREATH	1 EVENING PRIMROSE	5 PHLOX
2 BALLOON FLOWER, BLUE & WHITE	2 GLOBE FLOWER	1 SEDUM SPECTABILE
1 BELLFLOWER	1 GAYFEATHER	3 VERONICA
2 COLUMBINE	1 LAVENDER VERA	1 VIOLET, ROYAL ROBE
	1 LYTHRUM	

ONLY **$29.80** SAVE $7.90

HARDY PHLOX

Bright flaming colors. Our illustration speaks for itself. Give Phlox a good garden soil, a place in the sun and even in the hottest weather you will have big, perfect trusses.

CHARLES CURTIS. Rich salmon-pink
FAIREST ONE. Bright luminous pink
MISS LINGARD. Lovely ivory white (Not Illustrated)
RUSSIAN VIOLET. Medium purple
STARFIRE. Beautiful red (Not Illustrated)
THUNDERBOLT. Rich deep crimson
WHITE ADMIRAL. Clear white

OFFER 142A (6 Phlox)

CHARLES CURTIS	STARFIRE
FAIREST ONE	THUNDERBOLT
RUSSIAN VIOLET	WHITE ADMIRAL

$7.40

GAYFEATHER, KOBALT (Liatris). Strong, tall spires covered with warm, rich deep purple blooms. A striking background plant. Needs little care. Likes sunshine and a well drained soil.

VERONICA. Extremely popular. Ideal for rock gardens and borders. Beautiful spikes of color to 18 inches. SUNNY BORDER BLUE, royal blue (illustrated); MINUET, lovely soft pink; ICICLE, pure, pure white. State kind desired.

EVENING PRIMROSE (Oenothera missouriensis). Big clusters of bright clear, lively yellow, cup-shaped blooms. To about 12 inches. An excellent selection for the edge of a border where its sunny color can be enjoyed for weeks. A well drained, light soil and full sun is best.

LYTHRUM, MORDEN'S PINK. (Not Illustrated) Deep attractive pink. Very showy. These 3-foot beauties will grow anywhere there is reasonably good soil. Also known as the "thousand-flower plant." Lythrum brings strong-growing spires of bloom from June to September. Puts on a great show.

CORAL BELLS (Heuchera). Available in RED and PINK. Coral Bells WHITE, not available. An abundance of blooms for cutting—lovely clouds of tiny flowers on stiff stems. 15 inches tall. The heart-shaped foliage is very attractive. Blooms in late spring and continues for many weeks.

OFFER 142B

(2 Coral Bells)

CORAL BELLS, PINK
CORAL BELLS, RED

$2.40

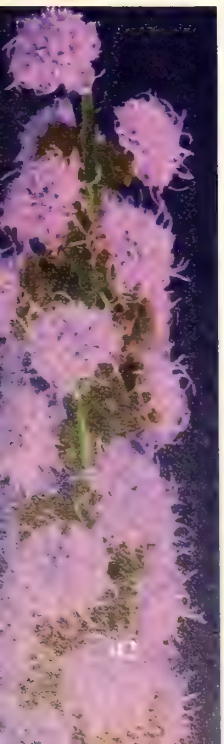
BALLOON FLOWER BLUE (Platycodon). Lovely summer-flowering with abundant, clear blue, bell-shaped blooms—much like a balloon in the bud. Upright, 15-inch plants with attractive foliage hold the pastel blooms erect. Blooms well even in hot, dry locations. Also available in soft PINK and pure WHITE. State color desired.

OFFER 142C (3 Balloon Flowers)

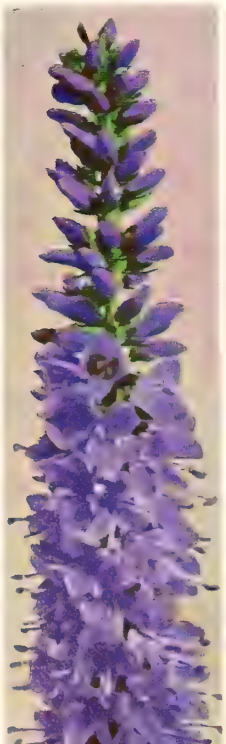
BALLOON FLOWER, GRANDIFLORA BLUE
BALLOON FLOWER, PINK
BALLOON FLOWER, WHITE

$3.75

GAYFEATHER



VERONICA
Sunny Border Blue



EVENING PRIMROSE

CORAL BELLS

BALLOON FLOWER

ARTEMISIA, SILVER MOUND

ASTILBE, FANAL

VIOLET, ROYAL ROBE

BABY'S BREATH, PINK FAIRY

GLOBE FLOWER (Echinops ritro). (Not Illustrated) Give this one some room when planting. Large, deep lustrous blue, 4 to 6-inch ball-shaped flowers on 3-foot stems come freely from late June on. Excellent cut. Vigorous and hardy.

ARTEMISIA, SILVER MOUND. For something a bit different that never fails to attract attention. The silvery-gray foliage of this beautifully mounded compact plant is its chief attraction. Feathery, fern-like foliage. Perfect for rock gardens and edging walks. Completely hardy. About as high as wide. Give it room to spread into the lovely plant it is.

ASTILBE, FANAL (Meadowsweet). Feathery spikes of rich garnet-red. Plants grow 2 feet tall with 1 foot flower stems. A fine flower blooming in midsummer. Give it rich, moist soil in the sun or light shade. Excellent to cut.

VIOLETS. These are the large, fragrant violets usually grown in greenhouses but they are just as hardy as those in the wild. An excellent, colorful ground cover. Does well in shade or sun. Blooms in early spring and again in fall. ROYAL ROBE (illustrated), deep violet-blue; WHITE CZAR is a pure white with stems long enough for cutting and lovely in small arrangements. State kind desired.

MILFOIL, CORONATION GOLD (Achillea). (Not Illustrated) Almost any soil is right for this tall, sturdy plant. It does best without fertilizer and where it gets full sun all day. Large, flat, saucer-like heads of bright sunny-yellow blooms are carried on strong stems. Excellent for cutting and delightful when dried for winter bouquets. Drought resistant and free blooming.

COLUMBINE, McKANA'S GIANT (Aquilegia). A wonderful mixture of colors—yellows, pinks, pure white and many others combine to make this perennial one of the most colorful. Delightful 4-inch blooms on 2 foot stems. Good for cutting. Blooms through May and June.

BABY'S BREATH (Gypsophila). Beginning in June, light, graceful sprays of tiny blooms come in great quantities. Full sun is almost a must. PINK FAIRY (Illustrated). Double, clear bright pink blooms maturing a bit lighter giving a colorful show. Plants to 18 inches. BRISTOL FAIRY (Not Illustrated), true double white growing 2½ to 3 feet high. Both are lovely and you will use them often in arrangements. Baby's Breath is the perfect complement for any arrangement. State kind desired.

OFFER 143 **(2 Baby's Breath)**

BABY'S BREATH, BRISTOL FAIRY
BABY'S BREATH, PINK FAIRY

$2.60

SEDUM SPECTABILE (Stonecrop). Large, flat heads of rose-pink flowers in mid-summer. Good for cutting. Extremely hardy and easy to grow. One of the most popular of the large Stonecrop family. Growing tall, to 18 inches. Ideal for perennial borders. Give it fairly rich soil, full sun and good drainage.

BLEEDING HEART, ZESTFUL (Dicentra). Everyone responds to the charm of Bleeding Heart. Zestful, unlike the old-time kind that blooms only once, produces deep pink flowers from May until fall. And, each flower is tiny heart-shaped perfection with a little tip of white. The plant is extremely easy to grow, and will quickly reach 18 inches in height and breadth. The best location is partial shade but it will give good bloom in full sun also.

LAVENDER VERA. Fragrant deep lavender-blue flowers on erect spikes. A neat, shrubby type plant with gray-green leaves and grows 18 inches tall. Blooms in midsummer. Needs full sun and well drained soil.

OFFER 143A
(12 plants)
This Compact Garden Will Fill a Limited Area with Lovely Bloom

BABY'S BREATH, PINK FAIRY
BALLOON FLOWER, BLUE
BELLFLOWER, BLUE
COLUMBINE
EVENING PRIMROSE
GAYFEATHER
PHLOX, CHARLES CURTIS
PHLOX, THUNDERBOLT
SEDUM SPECTABILE
VIOLET, BLUE
VIOLET, WHITE
VERONICA, MINUET

$14.90

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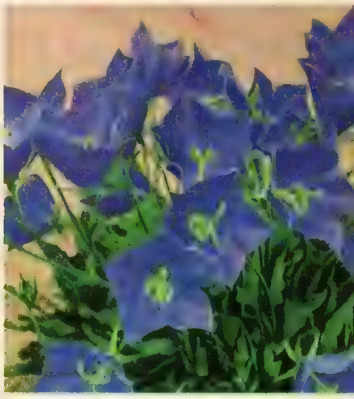


BELLFLOWER, BLUE

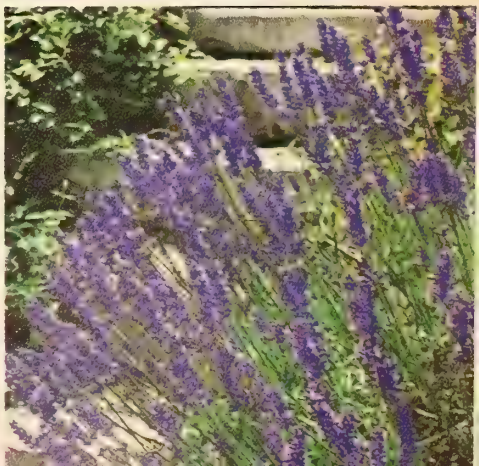
BELLFLOWER (Campanula carpatica). A fine selection for rock gardens. Blooming from early summer to frost. Delightful blue, bell-shaped flowers. Low Plants—about 8 inches with compact tufts of foliage making an ideal edging plant. Very hardy and free blooming. Needs only average garden soil and full sun or light shade.

SEDUM SPECTABILE

COLUMBINE

BLEEDING HEART, ZESTFUL

LAVENDER VERA



EXBURY

TUNIS

The Exbury Story

Behind something as unique and exotic as the Exbury Hybrid Azaleas there has to be a story.

In the 1850's a knowledgeable and venturesome nurseryman, Anthony Waterer of Knaphill Nurseries in England, became interested in improving hardy deciduous Azaleas. By combining Ghent Hybrids from Belgium and Mollis from Holland and crossing with the Western Azalea from America, he produced the Knaphill Hybrids.

Shortly after World War I Lord Lionel de Rothschild, of the famous banking family, and a great gardener as well, purchased control of the Knaphill breeding program. Using his great wealth to shorten time, he made tens of thousands of crosses instead of his predecessors hundreds. The kinds thus produced were named Exbury after the Rothschild estate. Since his death his work is being carried on by his son, Baron Edmund de Rothschild.

We have tested dozens of these Exbury Azaleas and now offer Gibraltar, Royal Lodge and Tunis. Golden Peace really belongs with them, for it came from Exbury seed.

TUNIS. A bright cardinal-red (deeper than shown in the illustration), changing gradually to carmine and with a lovely added touch of a golden flare on the upper petal. Trusses are large but florets are arranged more loosely than on Golden Peace. Tunis blooms later, following Royal Lodge, and grows somewhat taller.

GOLDEN PEACE. Here is an exciting new bright yellow to add to the spectrum of vivid colors in the Exbury Azaleas. Freely branched, vigorous plants producing a profusion of tremendous balloon-like trusses 6 inches and more across give a mass of color in mid-May. Each large truss consists of as many as 13 individual florets up to 3 inches across, making a solid ball of beauty. Gracefully frilled, bright yellow petals of even color brightened by a rich golden blotch to accent the upper petal. The ultimate is an aura of sweet, spicy fragrance to thrill the nose as the color does the eye. The color stays unchanged until the end. As the bloom matures, bright green foliage comes out to clothe the vigorous, strong stems. *Plant Pat. 3410.*

GOLDEN PEACE

AZALEAS

Exbury Hybrid Azaleas Are:

Very large blooms on huge trusses
Prolific
Brilliant, vivid colors
Very fragrant
Vigorous growing
Deciduous
Hardy (not recommended south of North Carolina)
Easy to grow, in full sun or *light* shade

They bloom in eastern Pennsylvania in mid-May to early June. Space them at least 4 feet apart and that distance from other trees and shrubs.

We offer you plants 12 to 15 inches high.

All Exbury Hybrids, $9.90 ea. — 3 or more of one kind, $9.30 ea.

OFFER 145
4 Exbury Hybrid Azaleas
1 each of those shown
$29.90
SAVE $9.70

GIBRALTAR

ROYAL LODGE

GIBRALTAR. Literally covered from head to foot with massive trusses of bright orange-red—or maybe you can say orange mixed with cherry. Flowers are very large, with petal edges frilled and attractively curled. Quite fragrant. Blooms in midseason, right on the heels of Golden Peace. Its foliage leaps out along with the bloom, making an interesting, lovely pattern of change from day to day. Appropriately named after the famous rock for its strong, vigorous growth and rugged hardiness.

ROYAL LODGE. In our opinion, the best of the deeper red Exburys. Actually, a deep vermilion-red becoming crimson, with an attractive, slightly deeper vermilion touch on the upper petal. Large trusses and florets but not quite so flamboyant in size or color as Gibraltar. Blooms later in the season, along with its foliage.

"Just a note to tell you how much I enjoy the holly I ordered from you in the spring. They are so beautiful and I will be ordering another pair next spring. Was a little worried about Nebraska winters but they came through fine and made real good growth this year." (See Page 40.)

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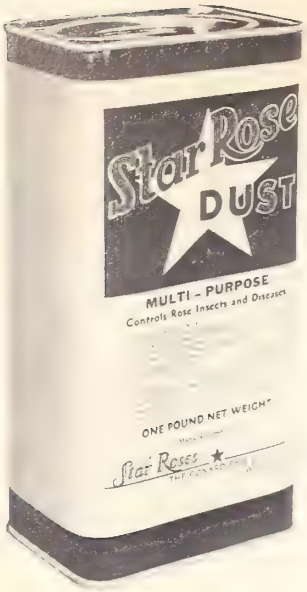

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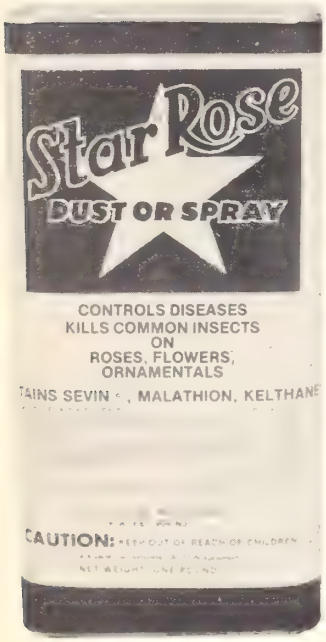
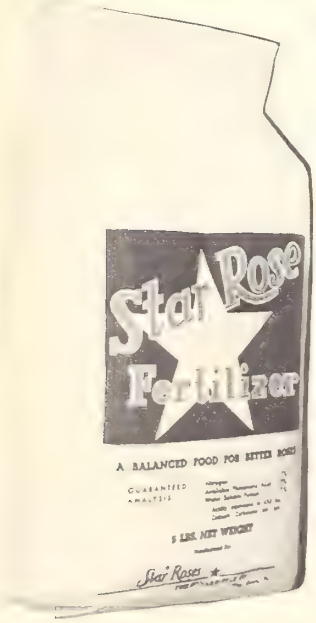
. . . we recommend them highly to you!





STAR ROSE DUST

This is the same all-purpose formulation which we find so effective in our rose growing fields. Containing the latest and most effective accepted ingredients, Star Rose Dust provides the complete protection your roses deserve. For greatest economy and best coverage apply dust lightly. Regular applications will keep your roses at their best. Lb. $3.90; 3 lbs. $8.95; 24 lbs. $56.80, ppd.

STAR ROSE DUST OR SPRAY (new)

This do-it-all Dust or Spray combination is a powerful special formula to give your roses the protection to ward off insects and disease. This special mixture can be used in your duster or can be mixed with water and used in any sprayer. Fully proved by regular use in our own fields, economical and easy to use. One pound of Star Rose Dust or Spray makes 10 gallons of protective spray. Lb. $4.20; 3 lbs. $8.95, ppd.

STAR ROSE FERTILIZER

This is a high quality balanced plant food . . . a fertilizer developed out of long experience in knowing what roses thrive on. Contains organic and inorganic material, available nitrogen, phosphorus and potash in 7-7-7 analysis. We believe this fertilizer is best for roses, mums and other garden flowers, lawns, vegetable gardens or wherever you need to give plants a balanced diet. Use it when planting your roses and regularly as they grow. Star Rose Fertilizer is a favorite with both experts and amateurs. 5 lbs. $3.90; 10 lbs. $6.90; 25 lbs. $11.90, ppd.

Due to certain restrictions and regulations, Star Rose Dust or Spray, Star Rose Dust, and Star Rose Fertilizer are not offered for sale in the following states:

Illinois	Rhode Island
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OFFER 146	OFFER 146A
Admiral Duster and 1 lb. Star Rose Dust or Spray *($16.15 Value)* Only $11.95	1½-gal. Leigh Sprayer and 1 lb. Star Rose Dust or Spray *($31.15 Value)* Only $27.95

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Use these stakes to hold the Star tags from all your roses and the labels for the other plants in your garden. Long lasting and inexpensive, wire label stakes are handy and make identifying your plants easy. Labels are not included. 2 doz. $2.60; 5 doz. $4.75; 10 doz. $7.95, ppd.

COMPRESSED AIR SPRAYER

By Leigh

The very latest and finest in long-lasting, trouble-free, feature-packed sprayers. Easy fill, long-lived, lightweight, all rugged polyethylene construction. This 1½ gallon sprayer is easy to handle and ideal for any spraying job. Perfect for use with our all NEW Star Rose Spray or Dust. $26.95, ppd.

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Controlled, slow release plant food for roses and shrubs, garden flowers, strawberries and groundcovers. Once-a-season fertilizer—a single application feeds fully and safely for 8 to 9 months. Feed at any time of the year. More nutrients are released when the soil is warm—none when the soil is frozen. 3 lbs. $4.40, ppd.

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These items are effective in the control of specific problems which occasionally crop up. Good to have on hand.

ACTI-DIONE® controls Mildew.
A spray for sure control of mildew (a fungus making leaves look powdery white). A 5-ounce package makes 10 gallons of spray. $3.95, ppd.

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PHALTAN® stops Blackspot.
One 6-ounce can makes 30 gallons of spray to protect roses from Blackspot (a fungus that makes black circles on the leaves and turns leaves yellow). 75% wettable powder. $4.95, ppd.

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	Blanche Mallerin	3.90	10.95	
	Camelot. P.P. 2371	4.50	12.60	
	Chicago Peace. P.P. 2037	4.90	13.80	
	Christian Dior. P.P. 1943	4.50	12.60	
	Chrysler Imperial	3.90	10.95	
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	Comanche. P.P. 2855	4.50	12.60	
	Command Performance, P.P. 3063	4.50	12.60	
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	Electron. P.P. 3226	4.50	12.60	
	First Prize. P.P. 2774	5.40	15.60	
	Fragrant Cloud. P.P. 2574	4.50	12.60	
	Garden Party. P.P. 1814	4.50	12.60	
	Golden Girl. P.P. 1912	4.50	12.60	
	Golden Prince. P.P. 2949	4.50	12.60	
	Granada. P.P. 2214	4.50	12.60	
	Gypsy. P.P. 3163	4.90	13.80	
	Helen Traubel	3.90	10.95	
	John F. Kennedy. P.P. 2441	4.90	13.80	
	King's Ransom. P.P. 2103	4.90	13.80	
	Lady Elgin	3.90	10.95	
	Lady X. P.P. 2691	4.50	12.60	
	Laura. P.P. 2986	4.50	12.60	
	Medallion. P.P. 2997	4.90	13.80	
	Mirandy	3.60	10.20	
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	Polynesian Sunset. P.P. 2530	3.90	10.95	
	Portrait. P.P. 3097	3.90	10.95	
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	Starburst. P.P. 2974	3.90	10.95	
	Summer Sunshine. P.P. 2078	4.90	13.80	
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	Talisman	3.60	10.20	
	Tiffany	3.90	10.95	
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	Bon Bon. P.P. 3555	3.90	10.95	
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	Gene Boerner. P.P. 2885	3.90	10.95	
	Redgold. P.P. 3006	3.90	10.95	
	Rose Parade. P.P. 3065	3.90	10.95	
	Saratoga. P.P. 2299	3.90	10.95	
	Spartan	3.60	10.20	
	Sunspot. P.P. 2576	3.90	10.95	
	Tamango. P.P. 2857	3.90	10.95	

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	America. P.P. 3682	$5.90	$16.50
	Blaze	3.90	10.95
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	Cl. Crimson Glory	3.90	10.95
	Cl. Peace	3.90	10.95
	Coral Dawn	3.90	10.95
	Don Juan. P.P. 1864	4.90	13.80
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	Red Fountain. P.P. 3615	4.90	13.80
	Rhonda. P.P. 2854	4.90	13.80
	White Dawn	3.90	10.95

Quan.	OTHER ROSES
	Sea Foam. P.P. 2463 — $3.90 ea. — 3 for $10.95
	The Fairy — $3.60 ea. — 3 for $10.20

Quan.	QUANTITY PRICES—Floribundas / Shrubs Each	25 or more
	$4.90	$4.40
	4.50	4.00
	3.90	3.40
	3.60	3.15

Quan.	MINIATURE ROSES	Each	3 For
	Baby Gold Star	$2.50	$6.90
	Bo-Peep	2.50	6.90
	Chipper. P.P. 2764	2.75	7.50
	Cinderella	2.50	6.90
	Crimson Gem	2.90	7.95
	Gold Coin. P.P. 2921	2.75	7.50
	Pixie Rose. P.P. 2095	2.50	6.90
	Red Imp	2.50	6.90
	Rosy Gem	2.75	7.50
	Scarlet Gem. P.P. 2155	2.75	7.50
	Shooting Star	2.75	7.50
	Starina. P.P. 2646	2.90	7.95
	White Gem.	2.75	7.50
	Offer 136 13 Min.		$27.90
	Offer 137 6 Min.		14.90
	Offer 137A 4 Min.		9.90
	Offer 137B 10 Min.		23.70

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	Double Delight. P.P. 3874	
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	Gypsy. P.P. 3163	
	Mister Lincoln. P.P. 2370	
	Oregold. P.P. 3415	
	Peace	
	Perfume Delight. P.P. 3282	
	Queen Elizabeth	
	Sea Foam. P.P. 2463	
	Summer Sunshine. P.P. 2078	
	The Fairy	
	Tropicana. P.P. 1969	
	Offer 135 5 Tree Roses $49.80	
	Please indicate alternate choices for Tree Roses in these blanks:	

Quan.	HOLLIES		
	($9.90 ea.; 3 for $27.90)		
	Blue Angel. P.P. 3662		
	Blue Prince. P.P. 3517		
	Blue Princess. P.P. 3675		
	Offer 140	2 Hollies	$17.90
	Offer 140A	2 Hollies	17.90
	Offer 140B	3 Hollies	25.90

Quan.	SPECIAL ROSE OFFERS		
	We reserve the right to substitute for sold-out varieties in Special Offers, but changes cannot be made upon request.		
	Offer		Each Offer
	102	3 Award Winners	$14.90
	105	3 Show Roses	14.80
	106	3 Beauties	13.80
	109	4 Outstanding	18.40
	111	3 Peace Family	11.90
	112	4 Striking Roses	17.80
	115	4 Show Roses	16.90
	116	5 Perfect Roses	18.70
	118	4 Roses	16.40
	121	5 Roses	18.80
	123	5 Great Roses	19.80
	125	6 Tried & True	19.80
	126	12 Roses	48.80
	127	4 Roses	11.90
	129	5 Floris	17.90
	130	5 Free Bloomers	18.80
	133	4 Roses	16.70
	134	2 Carefree	6.90
	148	6 Roses	26.70

Quan.	HARDY PHLOX	Each	3 For	Total
	Charles Curtis	$1.45	$3.90	
	Fairest One	1.45	3.90	
	Miss Lingard	1.45	3.90	
	Russian Violet	1.45	3.90	
	Starfire	1.45	3.90	
	Thunderbolt	1.45	3.90	
	White Admiral	1.45	3.90	
	Offer 142A 6 Phlox		$7.40	

Quan.	PERENNIALS	Each	3 For
	Artemisia, Silver Mound	$1.45	$3.90
	Astilbe, Fanal (Meadowsweet)	1.45	3.90
	Baby's Breath, Bristol Fairy	1.45	3.90
	Baby's Breath, Pink Fairy	1.45	3.90
	Balloon Flower, Grandiflora Blue	1.45	3.90
	Balloon Flower, Pink	1.45	3.90
	Balloon Flower, White	1.45	3.90
	Bellflower, Blue	1.45	3.90
	Bleeding Heart, Zestful	1.45	3.90
	Columbine, McKana's Giant	1.45	3.90
	Coral Bells, Pink	1.45	3.90
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	Evening Primrose	1.45	3.90
	Gayfeather, Kobalt	1.45	3.90
	Globe Flower	1.45	3.90
	Lavender Vera	1.45	3.90
	Lythrum, Morden's Pink	1.45	3.90
	Milfoil, Coronation Gold	1.45	3.90
	Sedum Spectabile	1.45	3.90
	Veronica, Icicle	1.45	3.90
	Veronica, Minuet	1.45	3.90
	Veronica, Sunny Border Blue	1.45	3.90
	Violets, Royal Robe	1.45	3.90
	Violets, White Czar	1.45	3.90
	Offer 142 26 Perennials		$29.80
	Offer 142B 2 Coral Bells		2.40
	Offer 142C 3 Balloon Flowers		3.75
	Offer 143 2 Baby's Breath		2.60
	Offer 143A 12 Perennials		14.90

Quan.	AZALEAS	Each	3 For
	Tunis	$9.90	$27.90
	Golden Peace	9.90	27.90
	Gibraltar	9.90	27.90
	Royal Lodge	9.90	27.90
	Offer 145 4 Azaleas		$29.90

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Quan.	STAR ROSE SUPPLIES			Total
	Star Rose Fertilizer	5 lbs.	$3.90	
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	Star Rose Dust or Spray	1 lb.	4.20	
		3 lbs.	8.95	
	Star Rose Dust	1 lb.	3.90	
		3 lbs.	8.95	
		24 lbs.	56.80	
	Wire Label Stakes	2 doz.	2.60	
		5 doz.	4.75	
		10 doz.	7.95	
	Pruner		11.90	
	Admiral Duster		11.95	
	Compressed Air Sprayer		26.95	
	Acti-Dione		3.95	
	Phaltan		4.95	
	Kelthane	8 oz.	5.40	
	Osmocote	3 lbs.	4.40	
	Benomyl	2 ozs.	7.30	
	Rose Cane Sealer	4 ozs.	3.40	
	Cut and Hold Shears		7.95	
	Offer 146		$11.95	
	Offer 146A		27.95	

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Quan.	DELPHINIUM			Total
	Astolat	Note Delphinium prices—		
	Bluebird	any 3 for $3.30		
	Blue Jay	6 for 6.30		
	Galahad	12 for 9.60		
	King Arthur	24 for 18.30		
	Summer Skies			
	Offer 141	6 Delphinium	$ 6.30	
	Offer 141A	18 Delphinium	14.70	
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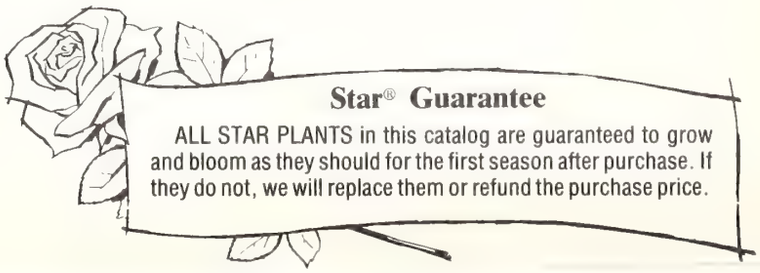

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	Angel Face. P.P. 2792	
	Arizona. P.P. 3568	
	Chrysler Imperial	
	Double Delight. P.P. 3874	
	Europeana. P.P. 2540	
	First Prize. P.P. 2774	
	Garden Party. P.P. 1814	
	Gypsy. P.P. 3163	
	Mister Lincoln. P.P. 2370	
	Oregold. P.P. 3415	
	Peace	
	Perfume Delight. P.P. 3282	
	Queen Elizabeth	
	Sea Foam. P.P. 2463	
	Summer Sunshine. P.P. 2078	
	The Fairy	
	Tropicana. P.P. 1969	
	Offer 135 5 Tree Roses $49.80	
	Please indicate alternate choices for Tree Roses in these blanks:	

Quan.	HOLLIES		
	($9.90 ea.; 3 for $27.90)		
	Blue Angel. P.P. 3662		
	Blue Prince. P.P. 3517		
	Blue Princess. P.P. 3675		
	Offer 140	2 Hollies	$17.90
	Offer 140A	2 Hollies	17.90
	Offer 140B	3 Hollies	25.90

Quan. **SPECIAL ROSE OFFERS**

We reserve the right to substitute for sold-out varieties in Special Offers, but changes cannot be made upon request.

Offer		Each Offer
102	3 Award Winners	$14.90
105	3 Show Roses	14.80
106	3 Beauties	13.80
109	4 Outstanding	18.40
111	3 Peace Family	11.90
112	4 Striking Roses	17.80
115	4 Show Roses	16.90
116	5 Perfect Roses	18.70
118	4 Roses	16.40
121	5 Roses	18.80
123	5 Great Roses	19.80
125	6 Tried & True	19.80
126	12 Roses	48.80
127	4 Roses	11.90
129	5 Floris	17.90
130	5 Free Bloomers	18.80
133	4 Roses	16.70
134	2 Carefree	6.90
148	6 Roses	26.70

Quan.	HARDY PHLOX	Each	3 For	Total
	Charles Curtis	$1.45	$3.90	
	Fairest One	1.45	3.90	
	Miss Lingard	1.45	3.90	
	Russian Violet	1.45	3.90	
	Starfire	1.45	3.90	
	Thunderbolt	1.45	3.90	
	White Admiral	1.45	3.90	
	Offer 142A 6 Phlox		$7.40	

Quan.	PERENNIALS	Each	3 For
	Artemisia, Silver Mound	$1.45	$3.90
	Astilbe, Fanal (Meadowsweet)	1.45	3.90
	Baby's Breath, Bristol Fairy	1.45	3.90
	Baby's Breath, Pink Fairy	1.45	3.90
	Balloon Flower, Grandiflora Blue	1.45	3.90
	Balloon Flower, Pink	1.45	3.90
	Balloon Flower, White	1.45	3.90
	Bellflower, Blue	1.45	3.90
	Bleeding Heart, Zestful	1.45	3.90
	Columbine, McKana's Giant	1.45	3.90
	Coral Bells, Pink	1.45	3.90
	Coral Bells, Red	1.45	3.90
	Evening Primrose	1.45	3.90
	Gayfeather, Kobalt	1.45	3.90
	Globe Flower	1.45	3.90
	Lavender Vera	1.45	3.90
	Lythrum, Morden's Pink	1.45	3.90
	Milfoil, Coronation Gold	1.45	3.90
	Sedum Spectabile	1.45	3.90
	Veronica, Icicle	1.45	3.90
	Veronica, Minuet	1.45	3.90
	Veronica, Sunny Border Blue	1.45	3.90
	Violets, Royal Robe	1.45	3.90
	Violets, White Czar	1.45	3.90
	Offer 142 26 Perennials		$29.80
	Offer 142B 2 Coral Bells		2.40
	Offer 142C 3 Balloon Flowers		3.75
	Offer 143 2 Baby's Breath		2.60
	Offer 143A 12 Perennials		14.90

Quan.	AZALEAS	Each	3 For
	Tunis	$9.90	$27.90
	Golden Peace	9.90	27.90
	Gibraltar	9.90	27.90
	Royal Lodge	9.90	27.90
	Offer 145 4 Azaleas		$29.90

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	Star Rose Fertilizer	5 lbs.	$3.90	
		10 lbs.	6.90	
		25 lbs.	11.90	
	Star Rose Dust or Spray	1 lb.	4.20	
		3 lbs.	8.95	
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		3 lbs.	8.95	
		24 lbs.	56.80	
	Wire Label Stakes	2 doz.	2.60	
		5 doz.	4.75	
		10 doz.	7.95	
	Pruner		11.90	
	Admiral Duster		11.95	
	Compressed Air Sprayer		26.95	
	Acti-Dione		3.95	
	Phaltan		4.95	
	Kelthane	8 oz.	5.40	
	Osmocote	3 lbs.	4.40	
	Benomyl	2 ozs.	7.30	
	Rose Cane Sealer	4 ozs.	3.40	
	Cut and Hold Shears		7.95	
	Offer 146		$11.95	
	Offer 146A		27.95	

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Quan.	DELPHINIUM			Total
	Astolat	Note Delphinium prices—		
	Bluebird		any 3 for $3.30	
	Blue Jay		6 for 6.30	
	Galahad		12 for 9.60	
	King Arthur		24 for 18.30	
	Summer Skies			
	Offer 141	6 Delphinium	$ 6.30	
	Offer 141A	18 Delphinium	14.70	
	Offer 141B	12 Delphinium	9.60	

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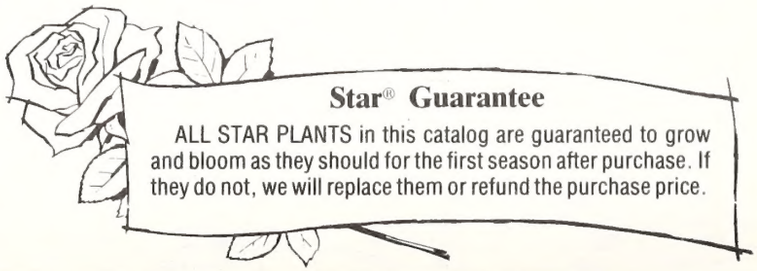

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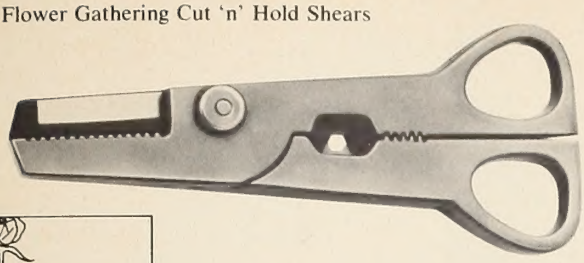

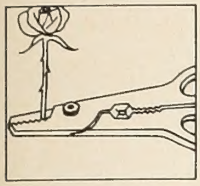

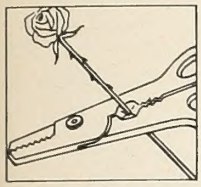

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